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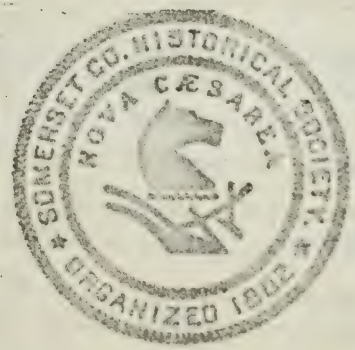
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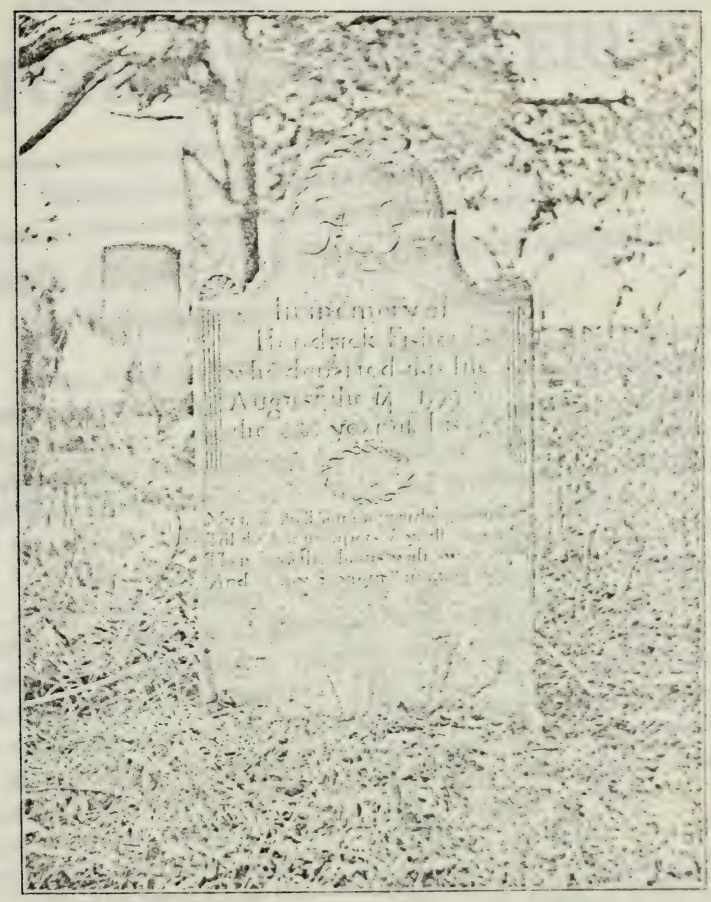
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HENDRICK FISHER—THE REAL GERMAN-AMERICAN

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IN THESE TIMES, when everything and everybody bearing a German name appear to have a lost reputation, it is pleasant to recall to mind the fact that the County of Somerset and the State of New Jersey as a whole were the gainers two centuries ago by a class of Germans who left the old land of their birth because of its wars and tyrannies, and who settled down on our soil as free men capable of becoming sincere American patriots. It is true they came mostly from the Palatinate and not from northern, which was Prussian, Germany; and they were brought up, not so much in the then strict Lutheran faith as in the Reformed faith; were in every sense reformed in religion, being more truly religious Progressives than the strict Lutherans. They had suffered much in endeavoring to cut clear from all the abnormalities arising from the perverted Papacy of that day, and because they belonged to the more advanced Protestants of the Rhine regions and took their faith largely from the leaders of religious thought in Switzerland, instead of those in North Germany, those who came from the Palatinate, say from 1700 to 1750, were more like the Scotch and the Hollanders in their faith than otherwise.

This subject of the religious creed of the early German settlers would have no place here but for the fact that Hendrick Fisher, as, doubtless, his father before him, was all his life an intensely religious man. It must have been born in him. And, seemingly, he took no great interest in the early establishment of German churches in Somerset, but always attended churches of more pronounced Calvanistic, or Reformed, views.

It was both the civil wars and the religious tumults in Germany that caused so many Palatinists to leave their country early in the Eighteenth century and to migrate to a land where thought and speech

were free, and where oppression and bloodshed were uncommon. Here they could live as men and not as slaves, either of religion or militarism. We honor these early Germans for their far-sightedness, their innate honesty, their true valor of spirit, and especially for the fact that they made first-class citizens and were progenitors of some of the ablest and best of those whose blood mingled with that of the Dutch, the Scotch and the English in the War of the Revolution and in the two great wars since, including that which has just ended.

It was Hendrick Fisher, Sr., who is said to have come from the Rhine region to Holland as an exile, and then, about the year 1703, to New Jersey. He doubtless spelled his name Visscher in his homeland, or at least that was the true German name. This Hendrick died October 17, 1749, when certainly over seventy years of age, yet, singularly enough, no record, so far as I am aware, has been found giving his signature, and not one important fact relating to him at all, between 1703 and 1749, is known, although during all that period he is said to have resided along the Raritan River a short distance south of Bound Brook. Dr. Messler and others who must have investigated the matter, state that he purchased, in 1703, three hundred acres of land of William Dockwra, a part of a tract of nine hundred acres that Dockwra had obtained of the Proprietors in 1682. Dockwra, a Scotchman by birth but a London merchant, was an absentee landlord, possessed by patents from the foreign Proprietors of thousands of acres along the Raritan and Millstone Rivers, which he sold chiefly to Hollanders but also to some Germans. Who Hendrick, Sr.'s wife was; what other children, if any, he had, except Hendrick, Jr.; and, indeed, all other facts about him that we should like to know, are shrouded in mystery.[1] It is only from his son's character and ability that we can judge of the metal which must have existed in his father's or mother's line of ancestry.

Hendrick, Jr., to whom almost exclusively I am now to refer, having been born, as we know from his age at death, about the year 1697, and in the Palatinate as is believed, was, therefore, a boy of only six when he came from Germany to Somerset County. According to Dr. Messler and others he, with his father, presumably with other living members of the family, began living on the 300 acres mentioned, and in a house "built in 1688 by William Dockwra." The origin of this statement, or belief, is unknown, but it cannot be all true, for Dockwra never came to New Jersey. (See QUARTERLY, Vol. VI, p. 12, footnote, for references). Probably the house was erected by the elder Fisher, himself; or it may be that the present structure, so long supposed to date from 1688, was con-

[1] I have thought that Johannes Fisher, of Three-Mile Run about 1699, was probably a brother, but there are no proofs.

structed by the younger Hendrick. Proofs are wanting, though without doubt the house is one of the oldest if not the oldest existing residence in the County.[2]

As to the younger Hendrick it is certain he had no advanced education, but must have been entirely self-made. In those days schools were few and New Jersey had no colleges. He is said to have become a mechanic as well as farmer.

Hendrick Fisher, when somewhere near his majority, married, but we only know the Christian name of his wife, Elizabeth. On August 11, 1721, he became a member of the Reformed (Dutch) church at New Brunswick. His residence was about equally distant between the Frelinghuysen church near present Somerville and the Frelinghuysen church in New Brunswick, and he chose to go to New Brunswick. The latter church was at a growing place; the former was just being built (1721) in the open country. The Presbyterian congregation (perhaps already formed) at Bound Brook had no church edifice, and its ministrations were wholly in the English language. As his wife did not join at New Brunswick in 1721, it is to be assumed he had not yet married, and this seems evident also from the fact that his oldest known child was not born until 1726. It is to be supposed, therefore, that he married about 1725, when twenty-eight years of age.

One year after he joined the New Brunswick church (1722) Hendrick was made a deacon of that church, and also of its co-church at Six-Mile Run; and again in 1725; and in 1727 he was chosen elder, and, with repeated elections, he remained an elder at New Brunswick, if not also at Six-Mile Run, for certainly nearly fifty years, perhaps to the end of his life. While his last recorded election at New Brunswick was in 1765, we know he was an elder serving both New Brunswick and Six-Mile Run in 1772. ("Ecc. Rec. of N. Y.," p. 4246). He was then as such elder attending a meeting in New York City to heal the divisions in the two Reformed ecclesiastical bodies, and with perfect results.

As to Hendrick's religious life, there is not too much to be said of its fervor, activity and strong influence. He became as his years increased a pronounced pietist in the best sense of that word; not a rapturous, mystic Pietist, such as those of that name who developed almost into a sect in the Lutheran Church in Germany at a rather later period, but an evangelist, a lay preacher of the most burning and impassioned words of Christ as narrated in the Gospels. He partook of the temperament of his religious teacher, Theodorus Jacobus Frelinghuysen, and to such an extent

[2]For an illustration of this house as it now appears, see frontispiece to January QUARTERLY, Vol. III (1914). The current view of its date is there stated as fact, but the above text shows it is without verification.

that the latter called him and set him apart as his "helper" in Christian work and in lay preaching in 1736. Thereafter he is said to have frequently preached in churches (in the absence of the pastor) and catechised children, and references have been made to sermons published by him, but, if that be true, the titles and dates I have nowhere discovered.

When Hendrick was elected as a deacon in 1722 there were those at Six-Mile Run who opposed his appointment "on the ground of unfavorable reports against his character." But Domine Frelinghuysen espoused his cause and ordained him. (See Messler's "Mem. Sermon and History Notes," p. 180). It is to be judged that at this time the "reports," probably untruthful, were largely the outcome of his progressive but strict religious views, which were what got Frelinghuysen himself into his troubles, although history has proven the latter was right and his views such as served mightily to build up the church at large in all this section of the State. Into the controversy which now began and lasted bitterly for nearly thirty long years,[3] with a much longer separation of two separate bodies in the Reformed Dutch Church, Hendrick Fisher threw himself with ardor, as may be seen by reading the records sent over to Holland and published within the last seventeen years. (See "Ecclesiastical Records of the State of New York"—really both of New York and New Jersey—secured in Holland by Rev. Edward T. Corwin, and published by the State of New York in 1901-5, where consult Index). He is said not only to have spoken, but to have published his sentiments in pamphlet form. (Ibid, p. 2305).

The Rev. Frelinghuysen, in order to exhibit properly to persons outside of his fold his evangelical views as preached by him, published various sermons in Dutch as early as 1730. Five of them were "translated" by Hendrick Fisher into English, and published in that language.

The Coetus party in the Reformed (Dutch) church held many meetings between 1737 and 1754, usually in New York City, and Fisher was invariably one of the delegates as an Elder, and often served on the most important committees; frequently as the only Elder on such committees.

In the "Charter of the Five Churches," of New Brunswick, Raritan, Six-Mile Run, Millstone and North Branch, granted by Governor Belcher in 1753, he is named as one of the corporators, and of the Board of Trustees of this incorporation he was made President. In fact by this time he had become the most prominent, most active and, seemingly, the most responsible of all the elders in the Somerset County Dutch churches, taking therein much of the leading character which he later sustained in the civil and political history of the State. His name continues in the

[3]For this controversy, see articles in the QUARTERLY, Vol. III, pp. 173, 241, and Vol. V, p. 81.

records as transmitted to Holland in this same character (as leading elder) onward until 1772 and, without doubt, he maintained such position and preëminence till his death.

While all this religious work, including the controversies that fill hundreds of pages in the ecclesiastical records, were going on and Fisher's heart and mind must have been full of it, he was giving attention to the civil government of the State. As this, however, was but preliminary to the greater project of establishing a free Republic, which unfolded itself during the War of the Revolution, and in which he performed so active and lofty a part, I shall first allude to his interest in the establishment of Queen's (afterward Rutger's) College, and his official standing in connection with it, as that preceded the Revolution.

The proposition was made by various ministers in the Dutch church at least as early as 1755 to found a college of learning somewhere in the general vicinity of New York. It assumed growing proportions until 1766, when Governor Franklin of New Jersey granted a charter. Its contents is not precisely known, as it is not on record. The actual charter used, a new one, was granted by the same Governor in 1770, on Hendrick Fisher's petition, for under the first charter a board of trustees was formed, and of it Hendrick Fisher was made president; his petition, therefore, was as President of this Board. It is apparent that he was active in securing the first charter (he was already one of the most prominent men in the New Jersey Assembly), and also that as a business man, qualified to preside over a body of much more learned men, he stood out as a leader. He was also made President of the Board of Trustees under the 1770 charter. He assisted to raise money in and about New Brunswick to aid in the establishment of Queen's and its site was fixed in that City, in fact in Somerset County, because (among other reasons) he, with Rev. Dr. Jacob R. Hardenbergh (pastor of the Somerset County Frelinghuysen churches, and who later became the first President of the College), had secured a large amount of subscriptions in its vicinity. Arguments for a location at Hackensack and elsewhere were numerous and importunate, but it is certain that our rugged old "Samuel Adams of Somerset," as Fisher has been called, used more persuasive arguments for the site of New Brunswick. Unhappily the proceedings running over many years after the founding of this College are largely unknown, even the minutes of the early Board or Boards of Trustees having, somehow, perished[4]

[4]That before Queen's College was proposed Hendrick Fisher was desirous that the best possible facilities be given for the education of the youth is apparent from the fact that in 1764 he was one of those to sell tickets for the lottery to raise £3,000 for the College of New Jersey at Princeton, the Assembly bill for which he himself had presented. ("N. J. Archives," Vol. XXIV, p. 294).

Just how long Hendrick Fisher remained a member of the Board of Trustees seems not to be known, but probably for several years.

I now come to the civil and patriotic career of this German-American patriot, for such he was to the very marrow.

The part he took in the civil affairs of the State up to the Revolution, soon after which, from old age, he was obliged to retire to a quieter life, will never be fully known, for the newspapers of those days reported only cold facts, and not the personal activities or even speeches in the State Legislature and Conventions of the people. Resolutions adopted and statutory acts passed were put in print, but the most interesting underlying facts were forever relegated to silence. We can, however, glean much that is significant from the plain records.

For example, we know that in 1740, when he was forty-two years of age, and during the church troubles and activities that so engrossed his mind, he was called on by his fellow-citizens to go to the Assembly. He was elected, with John Van Middleswart as associate. But, as he had only become regularly naturalized in 1739, he was declared ineligible to hold the office. He stated to the Assembly his reasons for believing he was eligible, that he "thought the Act in Queen Anne's reign which naturalized others included himself." However, Thomas Leonard took his place, and Mr. Fisher had to await the lawful time, and then, five years later (1745), he was again elected and took his seat along with Mr. Van Middleswart, and so worthily held it that for thirty years afterward he was still a member of the New Jersey Assembly. That body met sometimes at Perth Amboy, sometimes at Burlington, and in later years at Trenton. This is a longer consecutive period than anyone in New Jersey, so far as my knowledge goes, has ever occupied a seat in either one or both branches of our Legislature.

For a year or two, or until 1747, we find no record of special honors being conferred upon the new member. Then they began to multiply and he became chairman of this and that important Committee. Some of these have been noted in the tribute to Mr. Fisher paid by Rev. T. E. Davis, formerly of Bound Brook, in his address upon Fisher's life and character before the New Jersey Historical Society in 1899. ("Proceedings of N. J. Historical Society," Third Series, Vol. IV, p. 129).[5]

I note many of the matters mentioned by Mr. Davis, but am glad to be able to add new ones, which probably escaped his attention. In point of fact, to develop all that Mr. Fisher did in the Assembly, even up to 1765, when the Stamp Act was promulgated, would be to produce a

[5]This fine tribute by Mr. Davis is the only extended sketch of Mr. Fisher's life ever published, and the present writer is indebted to it for some facts that otherwise might have been overlooked.

volume, for the Minutes of the Assembly and of the Governor's Council are full of attestations of his activity and zeal for the best interests, not alone of his County but of the State. As Mr. Davis has well said of his Assembly labors: "No man was so frequently honored, no man so often entrusted with important duties, nor so often the chairman of important Committees. If a message was to be sent to the Governor or the Council, in nearly every case Hendrick Fisher was the chairman of such Committee. Changes or revision of existing statutes, or the adoption of new laws, were submitted to a Committee of which Hendrick Fisher was a member. If a petition was to be sent to His Majesty, the King, or to His Excellency, the Governor, the one man selected to prepare and send or carry such message was the tried and the true Hendrick Fisher."

In 1746-'7, when the Expedition to Canada was on foot, in the War against France, New Jersey sent troops thither, and Hendrick Fisher was one of the Commissioners appointed by the Legislature to disburse the State's necessary funds.

In 1748 he was chairman of the Committee to burn cancelled bills of credit—another most responsible position.

In 1749 there were troubles still unsettled between the Assembly and the lately deceased Governor, Lewis Morris. Mr. Fisher was placed on a Committee to settle matters.

In 1750 there was again a Northern Expedition and Fisher was one of two in charge of fitting out the forces. In this his young son, Minne, assisted, as bills for the expenditures show.

In 1754 an Act was passed to issue £50,000 in bills to assist in dispossessing the French from lands on the Ohio, and for other measures of defense, and Mr. Fisher was the second of four inspectors named to be "inspectors of the press," i. e., to see that the printer properly performed his duty.

In 1755 Colonel Schuyler was sent on an expedition to the North and Mr. Fisher was the chief of two Commissioners to supply the forces with guns, tents, ammunition, etc.

In 1759 the Governor appointed him Judge of Somerset County and also of the Oyer and Terminer.

In 1761, when the State was raising money by lottery to repay itself for loans to purchase the claims of Indians to New Jersey for lands still held by them, Mr. Fisher was one of the managers.

During all these years Mr. Fisher was introducing bills and serving on very important Committees, but it is unnecessary to occupy space to name them, as they were such as belong to every Legislature.

He really "came into his own," however, to use a modern phrase,

when the English Parliament passed the Stamp Act in 1765. As a result of the intense indignation throughout the Colonies, during which Patrick Henry in Virginia obtained his first great fame in the immortal "Cæsar-had-his-Brutus" speech, what is known as the First Colonial Congress met in October of that year in New York City, to which nine States sent delegates. New Jersey's delegation was Robert Ogden, Hendrick Fisher and Joseph Borden. The thirteen resolutions passed by Congress were, first, dutiful toward the mother country, but, second, positive as to the rights of the Colonies. Fisher was the main spokesman there for New Jersey, and on his return to the Assembly he reported for the Committee. (For full report see "N. J. Archives," Vol. XXIV, p. 682). He and Mr. Borden were then specially thanked for their "faithful and judicious discharge of the trust reposed in them." Mr. Ogden had not endorsed the action of the Congress and had not subscribed to it.

In April, 1768, the New Jersey Assembly had resolved to send a direct petition to the King of England "Praying relief from the Acts of Parliament imposing a duty [on the Colonies] for the purpose of raising a revenue." Of the strong committee of six appointed for this purpose Mr. Fisher was chairman. There is now no means of ascertaining what hand he had in drawing this petition, but it was most respectful, even eulogistic of the King (who, we know, was born of German (Hanovarian) parents, and, as later appeared so strongly, was a thorough Prussian in his manners and obstinacy), and "supplicated" the clemency of His Majesty, requesting that he "be graciously pleased to take into consideration our unhappy circumstances, and to afford us such relief as your Majesty's wisdom shall judge to be most proper." (See full text in "N. J. Archives," Vol. X, p. 18).

This same year Mr. Fisher, when it came to a reëlection, felt that it was probably the last time he would go to the Assembly. Age was creeping along. He allowed himself to be again elected (on June 21), his associate now being Justice John Berrien, of Rocky Hill.[6] This election at Millstone was described in the "New York Gazette" of July 4th as "carried on with the greatest coolness and good order, no reflecting nor abusive words heard during the whole election" (referring, no doubt, to the fact that since 1765 at every polls there were disputations as to the result of the Stamp Acts). Mr. Fisher made an address to the voters at the close of the count at the polls, which so clearly shows the quality, the character, of the man that I present it in full:

"Dear Friends and Gentlemen Voters:

"Pressed with a due sense of gratitude for the repeated and dis-

[6]The associates of Mr. Fisher during his successive terms in the Assembly were John Van Middleswart, John Hoagland, Justice John Berrien and John Roy.

tinguishing marks of your sincere respect for my person, the honors you have conferred on me are very obliging; trusting your delicate and most tender concerns again into my hands is really affecting. By this you not only approve of my former, but pledge your honor to my future conduct. I am at a loss for words on this renewed occasion to express the grateful sentiments of my enlarged mind; I must, therefore content myself, returning you my humble, my most hearty thanks, and refer the proof of my sincerity and this assertion to my future actions. Permit me, nevertheless, at this time to congratulate you on the promising appearance of your numerous and tender offspring, treading in the patriot steps of you, their aged parents; a prospect the more agreeable as patriotism in many places, at this time, is become a martyr. Very sensible I am of my inferior abilities to many in this county, but as to real satisfaction and sincere delight in promoting your best interest and preserving your civil and religious rights I except none.

"Having spent a considerable part of the appointed number of my days in the public service, I am now arrived to that period which would have made it very agreeable to have spent the remainder of my moments in a more inactive and a retired life. But, on considering the distressed circumstances of the Province, and the repeated solicitations of my friends, I have consented once more to stand your candidate, which, however, in all probability will be my last. God grant that it may be for your interest and His glory."

The New York newspaper which makes the report of this address adds that the people "very thankfully accepted it," and "in testimony whereof gave three huzzas. After which Mr. Berrien gave a handsome treat to those that were willing to accept of it." It also states that the number of voters then (1768) going to the Somerset polls were "increased to more than double the number since the first electing of Mr. Fisher in the year 1739."[7]

In 1769 he was chairman of the Committee of the Assembly to confer with the Committee of Council on the subject of the boundary line between New Jersey and New York, a matter not settled until 1772, after nearly a century of strife.

Soon following this we find, on October 12, 1769, that Mr. Fisher made a most advanced proposal to the Assembly, it being that thereafter the discussion of public business should be with open instead of closed doors. All important business theretofore had been conducted in private. He believed in the right of the public to know what its public servants were doing, and his words are thus reported:

"Mr. Speaker: Although it has been a custom of long standing for the House of Assembly of this Colony to transact public business with

[7]According to the best information obtainable, Somerset had a population in 1739 of about 5,000, and in 1768 it could hardly have been much over 8,500. This, however, does not contravene the statement in the text as to the increased number of voters going to the polls.

the doors of the House shut, yet, as at this time particularly a contrary practice will be more agreeable both to the custom of Parliament and the sentiments of the people of this Province, I move that the doors of this House, agreeably to the practice of the House of Commons, be opened, that all persons may, if they think proper, be present at any public debate, under the same rules and regulations observed in the House of Commons."

This motion was unanimously carried, and this order, so obtained, has remained the custom of the House of Assembly to this day.

Events thus developed slowly but surely between the Colonial Congress in New York of 1765 and the more eventful years of 1774 and 1775, and we know of Mr. Fisher that he stood firm with New Jersey and the other Colonies in every action they took against the acts of England designed to enslave America, and also against such acts of Governor Franklin as laid his loyalty to the State open to the charge that it was wholly subordinated to loyalty to England.

One of the matters that came up in 1766 was the subject of continuing the barracks at Perth Amboy, Burlington, Trenton, New Brunswick, and Elizabethtown, those having existed in New Jersey from 1758, and having been kept up for quartering the King's troops. The Assembly that year voted a refusal longer to continue these barracks, although, subsequently, rescinding it. In 1770 Mr. Fisher was upon the Commission to keep the barracks in necessary repair with unlimited powers as to expense; and we know they were well repaired and furniture placed therein, so that they served their purpose later for American soldiers when they were not in the possession of the British forces.

In those trying times men's characters were attacked publicly in the press with far more venom than to-day, and defended just as vigorously. If anyone now doubts this he has but to read the personal communications of this nature in the newspapers of those days. Mr. Fisher was no exception to the rule, but was occasionally attacked for his outspokenness and the fact that he was given so many positions of responsibility. One particular attack was made in some newspaper in 1772. I have been unable to find this, but the reply, written, doubtless, by some friend, appeared in the "New York Gazette" of May 25 of that year, and from it one may assume it was based upon a previous article in the same journal, as it referred to the fact that seventeen years before Mr. Fisher was one of the two Commissioners to supply the forces of Col. Schuyler with guns, etc. The defense uses some language which will bear quotation:

"Your scandalous libel was wrote (sic) with an intent only to blacken the character of a man who is an honor to the county he represents, and deserves the highest commendation for his upright and exemplary

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behavior during a long series of years, which have been entirely devoted to the service of his county and the Province in general. . . . Contrary to your intention as well as inclination you have shown him to be (what he really is) a man of consequence in the House of Assembly, who can in a short time bring over a number of honest members (as you call them) to his opinion, which must have been done entirely by force of argument, as they could not be bribed; from which it appears he is really qualified for the place and trust reposed in him. If you had only perused the Minutes [of the House of Assembly] and gone back to the year 1755, when Mr. Fisher was first appointed a Commissioner, you might have seen that he, in conjunction with Mr. Spicer, took that burden upon themselves to reduce the commission from 5 to 2 per cent., by which means they have saved the Province several hundred pounds. . . .You have opened the eyes of the people concerning him, and he is now more than ever in their favor and esteem. And, notwithstanding his old age, and anything he said to prevent it, they have again elected him their representative, . . . to the utter shame and confusion of his enemies and the entire satisfaction of a very large majority of the freeholders of the county of Somerset, as appears by their poll of election." (See letter in full in "N. J. Archives," Vol. XXVIII, p. 147).[8]

Probably the reference to Mr. Fisher's reëlection is to his actual last election subsequent to that of 1768, viz., 1772, of which no particulars appeared in the newspapers of the day.

In 1773 the Virginia Assembly set the example of Colonial Committees of Correspondence, and urged other Colonies to follow its example. New Jersey answered it by appointing a standing "Committee to obtain early knowledge of legislation by Parliament affecting the liberties of America and to maintain correspondence with other Colonies." Of this Committee Fisher was an active member, and in February, 1774, if not earlier, he was its chairman, thus taking precedence over even such a learned and strong man on the Committee as Elias Boudinot, who was President of the United States Congress ten years later. In January, 1775, ten members of the Assembly were appointed a Committee on Grievances, and of this also Mr. Fisher was chairman. This Committee brought in a petition in which the various grievances of America against England, as so often detailed in substance by all the Colonies, were clearly set forth.

Previously, on September 5, 1774, a Continental Congress had assembled in Philadelphia, and a general Declaration of Rights was passed. In January, 1775, these proceedings were regularly laid before the New Jersey Assembly, and then followed the appointment of the Fisher Committee on Grievances just alluded to.

[8]In Prof. Edgar J. Fisher's "New Jersey as a Royal Province," (p. 87) he describes Hendrick Fisher as having "the ability to think independently and act without considering the popularity of his conduct," which is the highest kind of praise.

With the news of the Battle of Lexington in late April it came New Jersey's turn to have a State Provincial Congress, and it was swiftly called by Mr. Fisher as chairman of the Committee of Correspondence for May 23, 1775. That Hendrick Fisher was considered a leader and capable executive officer again appeared at this Congress, for he was made President of the Congress; and it also appears that the honors of being Secretary and Assistant Secretaries also fell to Somerset. Jonathan D. Sergeant, of Princeton, became Secretary, and William Paterson, of Raritan, and Frederick Frelinghuysen, of Millstone, Assistants.

No greater fame could befall Mr. Fisher than this, for he was now on toward eighty years of age; a rugged specimen, I doubt not, of thoroughly seasoned manhood, still virile, still magnificent in his untemporizing patriotism.

Before this Congress met it was necessary for each county to elect delegates to it, and Somerset County elected its delegates on May 11th. But this was not the first of the Somerset meetings of citizens, called together each time by Hendrick Fisher, to consider the general state of affairs. As has been heretofore fully published in the QUARTERLY (Vol. V, p. 241 et seq.), there were meetings July 4, 1774, and December 15, 1774, as well as on this occasion of May 11, 1775, at all of which Mr. Fisher presided, and he was also appointed at the head of the Somerset Committee of Correspondence. Our readers should consult the proceedings at these Somerset meetings to secure a proper idea of how Mr. Fisher, with such strong coadjutants as President Witherspoon, of Princeton College, William Paterson, Frederick Frelinghuysen and others, carried the day for strong resolutions. At the May 11th meeting the deputies appointed to attend the State Provincial Congress were: Hendrick Fisher, John Roy, Frederick Frelinghuysen, Enos Kelsey, Peter Schenck, Jonathan D. Sergeant, Nathaniel Ayers, William Paterson and Abraham Van Nest.[9]

To have been President of this First Provincial Congress in its first session of eleven days was the highest honor Fisher could obtain, because, as I take it, his age prevented his having the other, possibly higher but in many respects a lower, honor, of being appointed by this Congress a deputy to the Continental Congress sitting in Philadelphia. There he would have been a member only; here he was presiding officer.

Upon taking the chair as presiding officer of this Congress the minutes for the day (May 29, 1775) say:

[9]It is of some interest to know how long these patriotic members from Somerset to the First Provincial Congress of New Jersey survived its meetings in 1775. Hendrick Fisher died in 1778. John Roy in 1780, Frederick Frelinghuysen in 1804, Enos Kelsey in 1811, Peter Schenck (not known), Jonathan D. Sergeant in 1793, William Paterson in 1806, Abraham Van Nest in 1780, Nathaniel Ayers in 1806.

"The President opened to the Congress the important occasion of their meeting; recommended the utmost deliberation in determining on the measures to be pursued in defending those inestimable rights and privileges to which, by our happy Constitution, the inhabitants of this Province are justly entitled; and that due care might be taken to support the established civil authority (so far as might consist with the preservation of their fundamental liberties) for the maintenance of good order and the undisturbed administration of justice."

Only a mere resumé, we doubt not, of what Mr. Fisher said, but truly exhibiting the right type of common sense. Then and at all times, so far as I can gather, he was a man of genuine common sense as well as of integrity.

At the following meetings, begun in October, he surrendered his office to a younger man, Samuel Tucker, of Hunterdon County, and took the subordinate and less responsible position of Vice-President. Even, then, however, he was constrained to serve as chairman of various extremely responsible Committees and Commissions. For example, he was at once (October 28, 1775,) named first of four Commissioners for East New Jersey to receive of the Colony Treasurer all such moneys as such Commissioners found it necessary to expend under resolutions to furnish the inhabitants with ammunition and other military stores and to put the Colony "into some proper posture of defense." This Commission was to act, in conjunction with a similar West Jersey Commission, in the purchase of 3,000 stand of arms, 10 tons of gunpowder, 20 tons of lead, a train of artillery, etc., and in supplying troops with subsistence. There were to be issued £30,000 in bills, which the Commissioners were to sign and of which one-eighth was to be distributed to Commissioner Fisher. On the same day a Committee of Safety was appointed, and, as Vice-President, Mr. Fisher became a member of that Committee to act during the recess of the Congress. (He had previously, August 17, been made chairman of a similar Committee to act during the previous recess). His service on this matter was short, however. When the final Committee of Safety that was so important in the Revolution came to be appointed in 1777, he had retired to private life, and was undoubtedly too aged to be thought of for the wearing and active duties and the extensive traveling which that Committee had to perform.

When in February, 1776, £50,000 in paper money was to be issued, Mr. Fisher was one of four whose signatures were to be on the bills, and again was Commissioner to purchase arms, powder, lead, camp equipage, etc. It is interesting to note that, when this money came to be issued, some of the bills, which had been signed by two Commissioners, John Hart, of Hopewell, and Samuel How, of Burlington County, and had

been passed over to Mr. Fisher and Azariah Dunham, the two other Commissioners, to be signed, "were plundered by the enemy from one of the persons appointed to sign them before he had put his name to the same." We do not know from whom the theft was, but the fact appears from an advertisement in newspapers of February, 1777, wherein the public was cautioned against taking any bills dated February 20, 1776, "unless they have three signers' names thereto."

The same month Mr. Fisher reported in the Provincial Congress from a special Committee of which he was chairman, a draft of a program to raise a third Battalion of troops, to consist of eight companies, and the same was agreed to. This Congress adjourned the second of March. On July 16, 1776, the day before the Provincial Congress finally dissolved, which was twelve days after the Declaration of Independence by the Continental Congress at Philadelphia, Mr. Fisher's name appears for the last time on the official records.[10] Therein he is spoken of in his position as one of the Commissioners for purchasing arms, etc., who were now asked to receive and pay for lead for the use of the army, the same to include "leaden weights from chimneys and clocks, and all leaden weights of shops, stores and mills of one pound weight and upward," etc.

It was during this year, in November, that Lord Howe offered amnesty to all American "Rebels" who would return to their allegiance in sixty days. He excepted, among others, Hendrick Fisher, and also his neighbors, Tobias Van Norden and Abraham Staats, of Bound Brook, as being 'arch traitors." In December some British troops raided Fisher's house and farm, and again in April, 1777, taking 30 head of cattle, £45 in money and other articles amounting in all to £145.10, but, fortunately, they did not capture the "Rebel!"

With the United Colonies declared to be "free and independent States" Hendrick Fisher was satisfied to leave office and to retire to his Somerset farm, for the two remaining years of his life. His full duty as a citizen, as a College trustee, as a religious officer and evangelist, as a State official, had now been performed. There is every reason to believe that in the sunset of his life he thanked God sincerely for what

[10]Says Mr. Davis, following a well-known and doubtless nearly authentic tradition in Bound Brook: "When the Declaration of American Independence became a reality, no man was more rejoiced than Hendrick Fisher. Securing a copy he rode swiftly home, and gathering his friends and neighbors around him, in Bound Brook, in front of the old historic Frelinghuysen hotel, he read aloud to his loyal constituents that immortal declaration of freedom and equality. So great was their joy and enthusiasm that, when he had finished, they took the old patriot and carried him on their shoulders through the town, while the old bell from Holland in the Presbyterian Church tower, and cannon on the hill, enlivened the occasion." The reference to the "Frelinghuysen hotel" is to the Middlebrook hotel, on front of which (in later years) was a great sign containing a portrait of Major-General Frederick Frelinghuysen.

he, a plain farmer and mechanic, had been able to do for his county, State and country, and was content, like Simeon of old, to depart in peace. At the age approximating four-score-and-one he slept with his fathers, and was buried on his own farm, near the banks of the Raritan. On the sandstone slab above his grave we still may read:

"In memory of HENDRICK FISHER, who departed this life August 16, 1779(?) in the 82d year of his age."

To which is added the verse so often used on tombstones of that day, beginning, "My flesh shall slumber in the ground," etc.

In reference to this year-date (1779), which is certainly upon Hendrick's tombstone (see reproduction in frontispiece facing page 1 of this number) and which has always been cited as the year of the death, I remark that it must be an error for 1778, as his will was probated May 15, 1779, three months before "August 16, 1779." It seems probable therefore, that he died in 1778 (supposing the "August 16th" is correct). The discrepancy may be accounted for by the supposition that the stone was erected some years after 1779 and an erroneous year was given to the stonecutter, or that the stonecutter made an error: something not so uncommon as may be supposed.

Hendrick Fisher's will, as it appears of record at Trenton (Book 21, p. 196), was dated February 1, 1778. On comparing the record with the original, the singular fact appears that the copyist altered the spelling of words to make it conform to the English language. In the original the spelling is very far from correct. For example: "aperle" for apparel, "Ingeland" for England, etc. In this respect it is much like, though possibly a slight improvement on the draft of an earlier will (of 1774) now in possession of the New Brunswick Historical Society, as published in "No. 1" of its pamphlets, which was issued by that Society in 1887. I am not clear, however, that Hendrick himself drafted these wills, and would need to see actual verified specimens of his writings before coming to a conclusion about it.

Hendrick's final will, as stated, was dated February 1, 1778, and was probated May 15, 1779. The beginning paragraphs as recorded (being corrected in the spelling and with present-day capitalizations) reads:

"All Mighty and Eternal God. As I am by Thy grace enabled to rest satisfied in the hopes of Eternal Life thro' Thy dear Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, for whom I bless Thee, to whom with Thyself and Holy Comforter be rendered honor and glory forever more; O Lord, as my appointed time draws near, and altho' of a weak constitution yet through Thy love and goodness arrived to the period of the strong, and being at present in health and sound mind, I would now, agreeably to Thy command, set mine house in order. Please, O Lord, to direct and assist me

therein and grant Thy blessing with [upon] my effects to my legatees hereinafter mentioned, and that they may receive them in love and enjoy them in peace, to Thy honor and glory, Amen. In hopes whereof I do, in the name of our Lord Lesus Christ, make this my last will and testament, in form and manner following."

He then makes provision for his wife, Elizabeth, of wearing apparel, bed, etc.; gives her his negro boy Minck, £100 in cash, room in his house, and board and expenses which his youngest son Jeremiah is to provide. To son, Hendrick, negro, Nance, £250, and also a mortgage the father holds on said Hendrick's "house and lands at Bound Brook, it being for £253," with certain conditions. To son, John, "the plantation he now lives on with everything appertaining," but he to pay his (John's) son Minne £50 when coming of age. To son, Abraham, "the plantation whereon he now lives," with everything thereon, but he to pay to his brother, Minne, £100. To children of his daughter, Elizabeth, a negro boy, Ben, and £85. To children of his daughter, Nellie, £125. To daughter, Margaret, £125, to be paid by Jeremiah. To daughter, Mary (Maria), £60. To granddaughter, Mary Fulkerson, a negro girl, Rachel, and £75. To children of son, Vulkert, £100. Wearing apparel and books to his sons. Linen (such as were not given to wife) to daughters, Mary and Margaret, and granddaughter, Mary Fulkerson. Residue of real and personal estate to Jeremiah. A final paragraph reads:

"And whereas the present struggles with England may in their consequences make some alterations in my estate, my will in that case is that the hereby granted legacies shall be altered in proportion, so as to answer the true intent and meaning of this my last will and testament."

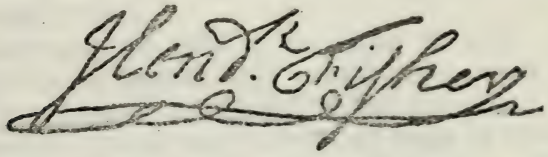
The inventory of the personal estate on file at Trenton show its value as £4,759.12.6. The witnesses to the will were Abraham Staats, Edward Duff and Andrew Gibb. The executors named were, his son Jeremiah, and his friends John Schureman and Abraham Staats, but only Jeremiah qualified.

I have only mentioned as a fact that Mr. Fisher was a Judge of the Somerset Common Pleas and Oyer and Terminer after March 19, 1759. He was reappointed in 1767, 1768, 1769 and 1770. The records of this Court being burned in 1779 we cannot now ascertain how frequently he sat on the Somerset Bench, but undoubtedly from 1759 he was known as "Judge Fisher." Previous thereto, 1754-5, he served for one year as Collector of Bridgewater township. In this last named record he seems to have been known as "Hendrick, Jr.," the only instance which has come to light to indicate the use of a "Jr."

His signature has been alluded to. So far as appears, he signed his

surname in earlier days "Visscher," or "Visser," but latterly "Fisher," by which name he appears in the Assembly and Provincial Congress records.

On July 11, 1748, when he advertised in the "New York Gazette" a 200-acre farm for sale (across the Raritan River from where he lived), his name appears in the advertisement as "Visser." ("N. J. Archives," Vol. XIII, p. 466). If he personally signed the letter in 1759 sent to the Classis of Amsterdam (as appearing in "Eccles. Records of N. Y.," p. 3745), he then wrote his name "Hendrik Visscher." But the following is his signature to his 1778 will:



In Davis's "First Houses in Bound Brook" (p. 22), it is said that "Hendrick Fisher" owned a house in that place from "before 1720" to 1765. There is, however, no evidence that either father or son ever lived in Bound Brook proper, and Hendrick, Jr., certainly never parted with his farm.

So far as I am aware there has been no complete statement published of Hendrick Fisher's children, where all resided, whom they married, etc. He appears to have had, in all, eleven children. Procurable facts respecting them may be given in the next QUARTERLY.

One matter more. The memory of so valuable and great a patriot of Somerset ought not to be allowed to be kept in remembrance by only the small slab of stone which covers his grave upon his Franklin township farm. That will not survive the centuries and the overturning plow, or, if it should, it is wholly inadequate. One of the present patriotic Somerset Societies should rear a granite monument in its place, either along the roadside adjoining the farm, or at Bound Brook, or Somerville, to indicate and emphasize the heroic virtues of

HENDRICK FISHER—THE TRUE GERMAN-AMERICAN.[11]

[11]The only visible memento of this man besides his tombstone in a field is a tablet placed on the old Queen's College building at New Brunswick in October, 1916, by the Society of Colonial Wars, the reading of which may be found in a previous QUARTERLY (Vol. VI, p. 77).

THE MAJOR THOMAS TALMAGE FAMILY NARRATIVE

BY ROBERT SWARTWOUT TALMAGE, NEW YORK CITY

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"TIDINGS OF Lexington reached us in April, 1775, and then the news that the British had shot down a number of our people at Charlestown, Mass.[1] This caused great excitement, and Committees of Safety and Companies of Militia were organized in each county. Lord Stirling, who had charge of the Somerset troops, was first at the front.

"In the year of 1777[2] we had left Basking Ridge and removed to Sussex County (Wantage Township) and I and my wife and babe were living under my father's roof.

"No great alarm was felt until in the spring of 1778. We then heard that the Tories and Indians were menacing the people at Minisink. Only the Blue Mountain lay between us and this danger some ten miles away, and we knew not at what moment we might be attacked, nor what their malicious disposition might prompt them to do. Several of this Tory band had lived in the neighborhood, and we feared they would lead the Indians to our settlement and that a massacre would result.

"My wife being at that time with child it was thought prudent to remove her to her parents' home at Baskingridge, some sixty miles distant. We determined to set out that night and go as far as possible. We drove

[1] "Lord William Campbell, Governor of South Carolina, had formerly been in the British Navy. Having now, 1775, three men-of-war in the harbor, Captain Tolemache, of the Scorpion, and his Lordship proposed an attack upon Fort Johnson, but Captain Thornbrough, of the Tamar, declined to join in it. This was a great disappointment to Tolemache, for he avowed he could have laid the town (Charleston) in ashes. He expected a re-inforcement of two frigates and a bomb vessel and he declared the town could surely be destroyed. Unable to carry out this project, he decided to distress the people who were in active rebellion. On Dec. 6th, Tolemache seized two ships, on one of which was a sum of money in specie consigned to Messrs. Samuel and Benjamin Lagaré of Charles Town. The money was turned over to Lord Campbell. The brothers Legaré determined on reprisal and, with a party of the light infantry company, of which they were members, seized and carried away Lord William's horses and chariot. The Council repudiated their conduct and ordered the chariot and horses returned to Lady Campbell, but she indignantly refused to receive them." (History of South Carolina, McCrady, p. 98).

[2] "Last week arrived here the fleet from England under convoy of His Majesty's ship, the Experiment, 50 guns, Sir James Wallace, Commander; the Bristol, 50 guns, J. Reamer, Esq., Commander, and the Zebra. Hon. J. Talmash, Esq., brother of the Right Honorable, the Earl of Dysart, with Lord Howe and Asten, Ordnance Transports. There were about three thousand soldiers in the fleet. The evening after their arrival a duel was fought with swords at Hull's between the Hon. John Talmash and Capt. Ralph Pennington of the Guards, in which the former was wounded and expired immediately. Captain Talmash's corpse was decently buried in Trinity churchyard, [New York City] last Saturday. It is said the duel was occasioned by a sonnet written by Pennington, which Talmash took to be a reflection upon the wit of his lady." (New York Gazette, Sept., 1777).

So far as known, the above are the only persons of our name to have taken an active part in the measures of the British Government against the revolted Colonies.

some thirteen miles and then, feeling secure, put up till the morning. The evening of the following day we reached her home. Her father, Captain Goyn[3] McCoy, had just returned from Monmouth battle. They seemed glad to see us, but I felt I must return at once to my father's farm. Harvest and hay time were coming on, which made my being there necessary. My heart was heavy at leaving my dear wife, and strange forebodings that I should never again see her sweet face filled my mind, due probably to her uncommonly bulky appearance.

"I found upon my return that the militia had been ordered out, as the trouble at Minisink grew worse. We left for the frontier that night. I had enlisted in Captain Abram Ten Eyck's Company and was Orderly Sergeant. We were away about a fortnight. During that time some of the early harvesting on the flatts was begun and I labored with the others until we were dismissed to return home. I began, however, to feel very unwell the last day. Toward evening my Captain (Ten Eyck) sent me orders that I was to set out immediately and summon his men to appear at a place of rendezvous as the enemy had again become active at Minisink.[4] My illness was becoming more acute, but it was my duty to obey and I delivered most of the messages that night."

In this connection the following poem by M. H. Burrell may deserve a place in the QUARTERLY:

THOMAS TALMAGE'S RIDE, 1777

ON THE FRONTIER

"Post haste!" came the orders. "Ride, summon our men
To rally to rendezvous, losing no time,
The Tories and Injuns are massing again—
Delaying a moment will count as a crime."

And, deliv'ring the note from Captain Ten Eyck,
The dust-covered runner scarce paused, as he said:
"Ev'ry man with his gun must be on the pike
Tomorrow at sunrise, there's fighting ahead."

[3]No doubt a perverted spelling of the Scotch *Gawen*, or *Gowen*.

[4]"A number of raids were made during that and the following year (1777-1778). The British had allied themselves with the Indians under the Mohawk chief, Brant, and they urged them on to massacre the settlers—to spare neither age nor sex.

"The members of three families were slaughtered north of the Neversink. A short time after this the savages returned and carried away a Mr. Patterson and his two small sons, and killed Mr. Anthony Swartwout and three of his sons.

"The following week the schoolhouse was attacked and Mr. Vanauken, the school-master, was slaughtered, and the children would have shared the same fate had it not been for the appearance of a muscular Indian, who suddenly came into their midst, and with a brush dashed some black paint across the aprons of the little girls, and bade them hold up the mark when they saw an Indian coming and it would save them. With the yell of a savage he then plunged into the woods and disappeared. This was Brant and the little settlers were thus saved; likewise their brothers, to whose coats they managed to transfer some of the paint. These and many other atrocities were committed before the battle of Lackawaxen or Minisink." (From address by B. B. Edsall at Sussex Centenary, 1853).

Tired, sick'ning acutely, young Talmage obeyed,
And at night-fall set out on his dark, hard ride
To warn ev'ry comrade of th' impending raid
And spread the alarm o'er the wide country-side.

The hours had lagged sorely, for Fever's hot hooks
Were sunk in his vitals, and, faint in the sun,
He had cradled and bound and set into shooks
Grain down on the "Flats" till the long day was done.

But Duty still called him, so up and away!
He's off to next neighbor's, the next, next, and then
Into stretching deep woods, where ambushed might lay
All ready to spring, lurking beast or bad men.

Papakating stream then, where stood the grist-mill.
"Ho, Westbrook! Tom Talmage! Alarming! Come out!"
"What news?" cries the miller, with questions a-thrill,
But few words and grave greet his answering shout.

On, on until midnight, 'neath Blue Mountain's shade,
The sick messenger beat on each frontier door,
But, declining all rest and refreshment, staid
Only a moment, duty-proof to the core.

Spent, at length, in the dawn he feebly rode back
To the bed whereon day and night were the same.
Long weeks while he wrestled with Death on the rack;
But Talmage *won out,* as do most of the name.

But to resume the Journal:

"Next morning I mounted my horse very early and had notified all others by noon and then started for my home. I lost my way and rode for hours thro' the wood finding no road. I think I was delerious, for I stopped at a house and asked my way, but of this I had no recollection. The gentleman afterward told my father he was sure that something was amiss and that I had a strange look in my eyes. When finally I reached home I was so far gone I could not get off my horse. This illness confined me to the bed for two months. It was known as the long fever and my family and friends despaired of my life. My poor wife being told (she not being able to be with me on account of her own condition) took leave of me in her mind and sent up my clothes to lay me out in.

"It was difficult in those days to obtain a physician, but one was brought from a distance and attended me faithfully, applying many blistering plasters and making free use of the barks, but all seemed likely to prove in vain. Every appearance of dissolution was at hand. One night my mother, who was alone with me, heard me cry aloud in a strong and very audible voice as though well. I told her I had good tidings—that

my wife had been taken to bed and delivered of a fine son. Whereupon my mother asked me how I knew this. I told her my wife's brother-in-law, David Lyon, had been there by my bedside. This seemed very extraordinary, so my mother noted the hour. It was just 11 o'clock and the night of Wednesday. On the following Sunday my wife's father, Capt. McCoy, and David Lyon rode over from Baskingridge with the news that a son had been born to us, and the hour and night were the same as revealed to me and recorded by my mother.

"From that time on my disorder was broken and I recruited rapidly and was soon able to leave my bed. Thus, with Job, as the Psalmist says, did 'I escape by the skin of my teeth.'

"I believe now, as I did then, and always shall, that I was in my right mind when the communication came to me about my son. David Lyon's visage was so impressed on my mind that, although he has been dead 17 years past his face and form are as familiar as though I had seen him yesterday. How this manifestation came I know not—all things are easy with God. Blessed be His great and glorious name!

"In the fall of that same year (1778) there was another display of Divine Providence. A lecture was to be given one evening by a neighboring clergyman and my wife and I started out to walk the mile and a-half. She was a few feet ahead of me, but the night being dark I could only see her outline. Suddenly she gave a distressing outcry. When I came close I found her to my horror in the embrace of a large bear. I called out with great resolution and sprang forward intending to engage him.

"The beast was panic-stricken and, letting go his hold, retired about a rod and sat down on his butt, growling.

My wife was near fainting, but I concluded it would not do to start on lest he should renew his attacks and perhaps destroy us. Stooping down I caught hold of a stone, such as I could manage well, and this I threw at him with as great violence as I could and struck him in the side. Whereupon he got up and moved out of our sight into the wood. Next day a bear was killed in the neighborhood.

"Thus with David did the Lord deliver us—not from the lion's jaws but out of a bear's claws.

"Yet another occurrence came into my life which showed in what strange and unthought of ways God works out His will. This happened in the winter of 1789 and we were then living at Piscataway.

"My little son, Goyn,[5] was at that time in the eleventh year of his age

[5]Goyn Talmage (record of whose birth was given in a former QUARTERLY) was the father of Thomas G. Talmage and three daughters, one of whom married Edward Paterson, a lawyer of Philadelphia, whose son was Judge Paterson of New York City. Thomas G. Talmage was a supporter of Martin Van Buren in 1836

and we were living about two miles below New Brunswick, having removed from Sussex, and I was again pursuing my profession of contractor and builder.[6]

"It was bitterly cold, and in order to get my firewood in with dispatch I had hired it to be cut and stacked. An occasion for hauling soon presenting itself by the fall of a big snow storm, I determined to improve it and so arose early one morning, tackled my horses to the sled and started for the wood. After I had gone some way I looked around and saw my little son perched on the sled behind me. It was exceedingly cold weather, so I halted and ordered him to return immediately to the house. He was about to obey me, when I noticed the tears starting from his eyes. This affected me, and then I observed to him that if he would be so great a blockhead as to join me on so cold a morning for the sake of a ride he might go. And this was the means of saving my life.

"The horses I drove were very wild and unruly, and after placing a load of logs on the sled I climbed up and with the boy beside me started for our place. In passing a stony ridge the load became displaced, and by the jostling of the sled threw me between the forbar and the roller and fastened me down, one of my legs being caught between two of the logs. I was pressed to such a degree that I screamed with all my strength and expected to expire in a few minutes. It was excruciating pain. We were still some distance from the house, and I bade my son to run to his mother and tell her of my situation. Without immediate relief I feared I should soon be in eternity. My wife appeared with one of the servants—a rugged country girl—but they had quite to unload the sled before I could be extricated. I was carried to the house and surgical aid was brought. The muscles of my legs were broken loose and thrown on the top of my

and carried on a successful campaign for his election. In 1838 he was appointed a member of the New York Common Council and, later, was President of the Board of Aldermen. In 1840 he removed to Brooklyn, and in the year 1845 was elected Mayor of that city. Later he was appointed Judge of the County Court and Loan Commissioner of the United States Deposit Fund of Kings County.

In the year 1859 Ex-Mayor Talmage was one of a committee chosen to select ground for a public park and parade ground for the city. Prospect Park was the outcome of their endeavor and the Talmage estate and that of his father-in-law, Cornelius Van Brunt, were taken over, much of the land being given to the city.

Mr. Talmage married, Oct. 21, 1801, Dorothy, daughter of David Miller, of Morris Co., N. J., and had issue: Mary Louise, David, William H. and Tunis Van Pelt. He married, secondly, July 16, 1835, Sarah Maria, daughter of Cornelius Van Brunt, and had Thomas A. and Jane Elizabeth, who married the Rev. Henry V. Voorhees, and who now lives in Somerville. Mr. Talmage married, thirdly, Harriet, daughter of Judge Tunis Jerolemon; no issue.

[6]Major Talmage refers to his membership in the First Presbyterian Congregation at New Brunswick (1794) as follows: "It fell to my lot to be a representative of our people at the Synod to be held in Newark that year, and I had for my companion a clergyman from a distance who had asked the privilege of a seat in my chair, which I readily granted. We tarried that night at Elizabeth Town, reaching Newark next day."

skin, and the leg itself was as flat as my hand. I lay for many days but was finally perfectly restored. Here again I saw the providential care of God toward me. Had I gone my way alone that morning I would certainly have perished. All these are the Lord's doings and they are marvelous in my eyes.

"Now that I am become weakly and infirm in my constitution and knowing that 'it is appointed of all men to die,' and realizing that I am fast approaching the time when I must go the way of all the earth, and having a number of things in my mind which must go down with me to the grave unless committed to writing, I have thought it my duty to recount these experiences.

"Thus have I shown you something of the bright, but little of the dark side of the picture. I know that God knows all my thoughts and actions, and the motives from which they arise, and the end toward which they tend and at times it frightens me.

"When I look toward His august and holy Throne I conceive something of His awful and transcendent purity, His hatred of sin, His inflexible justice and His determination to punish all workers of iniquity. It is then I am filled with awful fear and am ready to cry out, 'Who shall stand before such an holy God?' Then by precious faith I look again and see Jesus twixt me and the holy Throne and know him to be 'the end of the law of righteousness to every one that believeth,' and realize that His blood 'cleanseth us from all sin.' Then, although I feel weak in myself, yet am I strong.

"And now unto Him that is able to keep us from falling and present us faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy; to the only wise God, our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power both now and forever. Amen."

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SOME HAPPENINGS IN EARLY NEW BRUNSWICK

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As comparatively few readers of the Quarterly have in possession, or have closely read, the many valuable volumes of the "New Jersey Archives," I have taken the trouble to search out from those volumes a few further matters giving interesting glimpses of early New Brunswick, as published in the newspapers of the time in New England, New York, Philadelphia and Trenton, and have also taken facts from a few other sources. What follows chiefly concerns the period immediately before

and during the Revolution, although a much earlier item may well serve to introduce other subjects.[1]

The numerous visits of George Whitefield to the English Colonies in America were seasons of remarkable religious development throughout our land. Crowds followed the gifted preacher from place to place, fired by an enthusiasm only equalled by the sainted man's zeal for work. In his "Journal" of Saturday, April 26, 1740, Whitefield records:

"Set out for Brunswick about eight. Reached thither by four in the afternoon and preached to about 2,000 hearers in the evening.

"Sunday, April 27. Preached morning and evening to near 7 or 8,000 people. And God's power was so much amongst us in the afternoon sermon that, had I proceeded, the cries and groans of the congregation, I believe, would have drowned my voice. One woman was struck down, and a general cry went through the Assembly. We collected both times upwards of £20 sterling for my orphans.

"Monday, April 28. Set out about eight in the morning, and reached Woodbridge by ten, where I preached to about 2,000 people."

From the newspapers of the day we learn further particulars of this missionary tour, for example:

"Philadelphia, April 24. On Monday last the Reverend Mr. Whitefield preached at Greenwich and at Gloster. Yesterday he set out for New York, and was to preach at Neshaminy, this day at Shippack and Frederick Township, tomorrow evening at Amwell; Saturday evening at New Brunswick; and on Sunday at the same place, morning and evening ,when collections are to be made for the Orphan House in Georgia. On Monday he is to preach at Elizabeth Town."

While in the neighborhood of New Brunswick Whitefield was the guest of Domine Theodorus J. Frelinghuysen, at Three-Mile Run. That opinion as to Whitefield's doctrine was divided may be seen from the treatment he received at the outset of this tour at Newbury, Massachusetts. He preached there for the first time in front of the meeting-house on High street, a few rods south of Federal street. A stone was thrown at him, which nearly struck the Bible from his hand. Raising the book, he responded to this unprovoked assault: "I have a warrant from God to preach. His seal is in my hand and I stand in the King's highway." This scene is recorded by the Rev. S. P. Williams in an historical discourse.

In the "New York Mercury" for February 1, 1768, we find an interesting notice of a school at New Brunswick:

"To the Publick: Notice is hereby given that a school is erected at New Brunswick, in New Jersey, under the inspection of the subscribers, in which the learned languages and mathematicks are carefully and accu-

[1]For other matters in the newspapers, concerning early happenings in New Brunswick, see QUARTERLY, Vol. III, p. 9, and Vol. IV, p. 167.

rately taught, by Caleb Cooper, recommended from Nassau Hall, an able and well accomplished tutor in these and other branches. The conditions are 20s. entrance and £4. per annum, for tuition, proclamation money. Boarding may be had in this town, as good and cheap as can be expected, and to satisfaction, sufficient to accommodate a large school, which, including tuition, will not exceed £20 a year.

"This town, besides its pleasant rural situation, has the superior advantage of a pure and wholesome air, and its concomitant health, to recommend it, properties evinced from long experience by its inhabitants, and the suffrage of gentlemen strangers acquainted with it, of the best judgment and observation. It is also surrounded by an extensive and fertile country, from which it draws constant supplies of every necessary of life in great variety and plenty; and the sea, in the season, has plenty of fish, oysters, etc. To which may be added the ready and easy conveyance of goods, by water or by land, to New York, Philadelphia, and all other parts, as another peculiar advantage it enjoys. And, in a religious view, exceeds any other place in the province, having divine worship in the English Episcopal, the Dutch Reformed, and Presbyterian churches; and as to the inhabitants, with regard to their manners and other social virtues, compared with other places, without prejudice, may be said to be irreproachable. The inspection above proposed is to consist in visiting the school at least once a quarter; to enquire into the deportment of all concerned, and to assist the master and scholars in all necessary regulations with respect to decency and good order, as well as the advancement of learning.

"John Laight,
Jacob G. Hardenbergh,
Johannes M. Van Harlingen,
Abraham Beach,
John Cochran,
William Oake."

An addition to the advertisement reads:

"This school, from the skill and diligence of the tutor, as well as the uncommon progress which the pupils have made in learning, in less than six months, gives a pleasing prospect of its increase."

During the agitations brought about by the passage of the Stamp Act the lawyers of New Jersey discontinued their practice, a proceeding which complicated a confusion already too trying. The "Pennsylvania Journal" of February 20, 1766, gives notice of a meeting of lawyers in New Brunswick to discuss the resumption of practice, discontinued since the previous November first. The assemblage was waited upon by a deputation of the Sons of Liberty, who expressed their uneasiness at the suspension of law proceedings. It was determined by a majority of the lawyers convened:

"That they would resume their practice the first day of April next, whatever accounts may be received from England, or sooner if earlier

intelligence arrives of the determination of Parliament respecting the Stamp Act."

Notices of meetings of the trustees of Queen's College appear with some regularity in the newspapers from the year 1768, and all read much like the following from the "New York Journal, or General Advertiser" of March 31, 1768:

"Publick notice is hereby given that the Trustees of Queen's College are to meet the Second Tuesday in May next at New Brunswick. DAVID MARINUS, Clerk."

In 1770 there is notice of a meeting to fix the reopening of Queen's College at New Brunswick. This meeting was presided over by his Excellency, Governor Franklin. John Laight, Jacob R. Hardenbergh, and Johannes M. Van Harlingen, together with the Tutor, Frederick Frelinghuysen, were to take direction and government of said Institution.

On May 5, 1778, the public was informed that the business of Queen's College, formerly carried on in the city of New Brunswick, was begun at North Branch on the Raritan; John Taylor, A. M., Tutor. On Sept. 15, 1778, however, the College commencement is advertised to be held at New Brunswick.

The "New York Gazette and Weekly Post Boy" of May 29th, 1769, contains an article which makes the reader realize the efficiency of modern post-office methods to which we have become so accustomed in contrast with pre-Revolutionary ways:

"On Thursday night last, the Post Boy, that rides between New Brunswick and this city, had his horse stole out of the stable at Brunswick Ferry; and another not being readily to be got, he came off with the mail on his back, and travelled ten miles on foot, by which means we have no Philadelphia newspapers this week, he not being able to bring them along also on his back from New Brunswick. However, they came to hand last night, but we don't find anything very material in them."

In a New York newspaper of April 10, 1769, is found the regular advertisement of the meeting of the State Medical Society:

"The Members of the New Jersey Medical Society are desired to remember that their next stated General Meeting, will be on the first Tues. in May next, at the House of Mr. Duff in New Brunswick," etc.

"ISAAC SMITH, Secretary."

The house of Mr. Duff was the old White Hall tavern on Albany street.

It seems likely that the zeal of the members of the State Medical fraternity waned when the novelty of the society wore off, for, later, Oct. 29, 1770, the customary notice reads:

"The New Jersey Medical Society meets at the house of Brook Farmer in New Brunswick 13 November next, at eleven o'clock A. M. (if a sufficient number of members are arrived).

"NATHANIEL SCUDDER, Secretary."

The general half-yearly meetings are definitely ordered from this time to be held on the second Tuesdays in November and in May. A notice of the succeeding May meeting is given to be held at the house of the Widow Voorhees. This is signed by Samuel Kennedy as Secretary. Dr. Kennedy was undoubtedly one of the foremost physicians in the State, a man of great skill and learning, and to this day regarded as an ornament to his profession.

From another New York newspaper of Aug. 9, 1770, we read:

"Last week Mr. Applegate and Mr. Abrahams, of this City, went to the City of New Brunswick in New Jersey, having with them for sale a quantity of pine apples, limes, etc. The people of Brunswick finding them subscribers for Importation, treated them so roughly, that they judged it not safe to appear publicly, and, being unable to sell their fruit, a great part of it spoil'd upon their hands. They were glad to get off privately to avoid the effects of the people's resentment, which Mr. Abrahams was not so lucky to escape at Woodbridge, on his return, where he was much insulted, and ducked in a Creek, and was likely to have been much worse used, if he had not made his escape. We hear that two merchants of this city, subscribers for Importation, who a few days ago set out on a journey to Philadelphia, at Woodbridge were both heartily duck'd, but the particulars we have not heard."

In the same newspaper of the date August 16th, 1770:

"Mr. Applegate denies that he was insulted or obliged to conceal himself in Brunswick, and by that means hindered from doing his Business, as mentioned in our last."

Many of the old stage coach advertisements are curious reading in a day of automobiles and steam power. Andrew Ramsay, tavern keeper in New York City, provided a "Stage Waggon" to go from Brunswick to Trenton, and a "Stage Boat" from Philadelphia to Trenton in 1753. In 1756 the "Pennsylvania Journal" says:

"Philadelphia and Perth Amboy Stages. John Butler, Philadelphia, Sign of the Death of the Fox, Strawbury Alley, begins his Stage the 9th inst. from this house to the house of Nathaniel Parker at Trenton Ferry. Goods and Passengers carried over Ferry to house of George Moschel, where Francis Holman will meet above John Butler and exchange their Passengers, etc., and then proceed on Wednesday through Prince Town and New Brunswick to the house of Obadiah Aires in Perth Amboy, where will be kept a good Boat with all conveniences necessary; kept by John Thompson and William Waller for the reception of passengers, etc., who will proceed on Thursday morning without delay for New York,

and there land at Whitehall, where said Waller and Thompson will give attendance at the house of Abraham Bockeys, until Monday morning following, and then will return to Perth Amboy, where Francis Holman on Tuesday morning following will attend and return with his Waggon to Trenton Ferry, to meet John Butler of Philadelphia, and there exchange their passengers, etc., for New York and Philadelphia.

"It is hoped that as these Stages are attended with considerable expence, for the better accommodating passengers, that they will merit the favours of the public, and whoever will be pleased to favour them with their custom shall be kindly used, and have due attendance given them by their humble servants, John Butler, Francis Holman, John Thompson, and William Waller."

In the "New York Gazette" of May 28, 1770, we find another "Waggon" to be used to reach Philadelphia by way of New Brunswick:

"The subscriber, having provided himself with a good neat-covered Waggon, and horses suitable, purposes to begin a Stage from Powles-Hook for Philadelphia, on Tuesday, the 5th of June next. He proposes to get off from Powles-Hook every Tuesday morning, and to go through Newark, Elizabeth Town, Woodbridge, Brunswick, Princetown, Trenton, and Bristol, and will go quite through to Philadelphia in two days, at the price of twenty shillings each passenger, or three pence a mile to any distance between. He keeps two setts of horses, but drives all the way himself, and sets out from Philadelphia every Friday morning, comes to Powles-Hook on Saturday evening. And in order to go through with dispatch, he would never chuse to carry above eight passengers at a time, though there might be room for one or two more on occasion. Goods will be carried proportionably to their weight and bulk. Those who incline to take passage with him should be over at Powles-Hook the evening before, as he purposes always to set out early. The Public may depend on civil usage from their very humble Servant,

"Abraham Skilman."

Although Mr. "Skilman" uses the conventional phrases at the end of his advertisement, no one can fail to notice the independence of his attitude as compared with that of John Butler and Company. The years between '56 and '70 may have developed freedom between the masses and classes, but "Skilman" was American-born, whereas Butler was an immigrant and assumed the attitude considered becoming in the land of his birth. Very likely the residents of Somerset County depended upon both these purveyors of transportation, who skirted if they did not cross a portion of the county.

Dirk Van Veghten's advertisement of a house in New Brunswick in 1779 shows how one of the first-class houses in this city was constructed, generally of brick:

"To be Sold.—A very good house in Albany Street in New Brunswick, two stories high, a brick front, two rooms on the lower floor, with

an entry; a cellar under the whole; a good kitchen with an entry adjoining it, with a linter to the house for a shop fit for any business. The lot is fifty feet front, and one hundred and fifty feet back, on lease for about fifty-two years to come, with a ground rent of two pounds, ten shillings per annum. For terms of sale enquire of the subscriber in New Brunswick. DIRK VAN VEGHTEN."

The brick front with wooden back is still common on Albany street, but the ground rents have fallen into abeyance.

From newspaper accounts of Revolutionary events in and about the city (omitting such as appear in every history) we note these happenings:

"It were wished that the poor people in the neighborhood of Brunswick, who have been plundered by Mr. Commissary Brown, would, before the day of his trial, furnish the Attorney General with an account of what they can depose concerning his robberies."

"Philadelphia, Feb. 7. On Sunday last was brought to town fifteen British soldiers, taken within one mile of the west side of Brunswick, where the British army are hemmed in on all sides. We hear that every day our army, round Brunswick, take prisoners or receive deserters from the English army in that town." Again: "On Sunday last six Hessians were taken on this side Brunswick."

In April, 1778, John Van Kirk, Sheriff of Middlesex County, offers a reward for the capture of Charles Ford, a soldier of the 13th Battalion, Pennsylvania troops, who had escaped from the Brunswick jail.

On the same day:

"The Judge Advocate produces General Washington's orders for the Court to sit. The President, Members, and Judge Advocate, being sworn, the Judge Advocate prosecuting in the name of the United States of North America, the Court proceeds to trial of Major General Lee, who appears before the Court, and the following charges are exhibited against him," etc.

On July 3, 1778, a letter appears from the accused general Charles Lee, who had just acted so badly on the field of Monmouth. It is dated from "Brunswick," and protests bitterly against the attack upon his character that had appeared in the "New Jersey Gazette."

After several adjournments the Court, on August 12th, sentenced Lee to be suspended for twelve months.

Throughout the year 1778 the various periodicals contain notices for the Loyalists to present themselves for trial at New Brunswick. It is said on good authority that far from being mainly Rebel in sentiment, the inhabitants of the town might be roughly divided into three approximately equal parts: Loyalists, Moderates, i. e., that class, ever considerable, that waits to see which side will prove most profitable to join, and, finally, those heartily convinced of the righteousness of rebellion.

On July 4, of the same year, there were anniversary celebrations of American Independence in various parts of the State. That at New Brunswick was participated in by "the front line of the army" and "A Gentleman at Camp" thus describes it:

"The Anniversary of Independence has occasioned another grand day, far surpassing the *feu de joye* at the old camp, which I formerly described to you. The orders were not issued till evening yesterday, and then not so full as to raise great expectations. I have already described to you the situation of my quarters, which commands a view of the bridge and the opposite shore, so that I could see every man as he passed to the ground. The front line of the army extended from the redoubt on the height a little above Brunswick upwards of two miles up the river on the west side; the second line at some distance in the rear, not quite so extensive. The park was placed on the right of the front line at the redoubt, and upwards of thirty pieces of cannon interspersed at proper distances through the lines. After his Excellency with his suite had rid (sic) round the lines and returned to his quarters, on a signal given from thence 13 pieces of cannon were fired at the park, which were followed by a running fire of musketry and artillery, beginning on the right of the front, throughout the whole of both lines. After this three huzzas to the perpetual and undisturbed Independence of the United States of America. The same round was performed a second and third time, and exceedingly well executed every time. My situation being high and at a convenient distance in front, afforded me a complete view of the whole, and presented by far the grandest sight I ever beheld. The running fire of musketry is grand of itself, but the cannon throwing out their columns of smoke, and adding their sounds at proper distances, made it magnificent beyond description."

In August, 1779, the inhabitants of North Ward of the city of New Brunswick met to consider the depreciated state of Continental money. A committee to study into the matter was chosen consisting of Colonel John Neilson, William Vanduisen, William Harrison, Henry Guest, Peter Farmer, Jasper Farmer, and John Piatt, Esq.

In a dispatch from Trenton, Nov. 3, 1779, the "New Jersey Gazette" says, at the end of an account of a British raid for the purpose of burning boats at Van Veghten's bridge east of Somerville:

"Their commanding officer, who was made prisoner, is Lieutenant-Colonel Simcoe, of a new Corps called the Queen's American Rangers. It is to be observed that Simcoe is one of the enemy's principal partizans, and that his exploits have generally been marked with acts of the most inhuman barbarity. In this expedition Captain Peter Voorhees, of the first Jersey regiment, unfortunately fell into their hands near Brunswick, and was massacred in the most shocking manner. Dr. Ryker and Mr. John Polhemus were made prisoners by the covering party, with several others."

Dated "Raritan, Oct. 29, 1779," is a notice of Queen's College:

"Notice is hereby given that the Grammar School at Raritan was opened last Monday, and that the vacation of Queen's College will end on Thursday, the 4th of November, when the business of the College will be carried on at New Brunswick. Boarding may be had at each of the above places at as low a price as in any part of the state. Parents and guardians may be assured of the greatest care being taken of the youth, and that proper attention will be given to every branch of English education. By order of the Faculty,

"JOHN TAYLOR, Clerk, pro tem."

In November "Sam. H. Sullivan, late C. B. M. for New Jersey," (a resident of Readington township, Hunterdon county) advertises that:

"The Deputy Barrackmasters of this State, under the late department of the Barrackmaster-General, are desired to meet the subscriber at the city of New Brunswick, on the 6th day of December next, to settle their accounts, and receive their money."

From Hillsborough (Millstone), Somerset county, in May, 1780, we again read of Queen's College:

"The vacation of Queen's College at Hillsborough, in the county of Somerset, and of the Grammar School in the city of New Brunswick, is expired; and the business of each is again commenced. Good lodgings may be procured in both places at as low a rate as any part of the state. By order of the Faculty,

"JOHN TAYLOR, Clk. pro tem."

In March, 1781—

"At a Court Martial held by the appointment of Brigadier General Heard, on the 19th of Jannary last, at the house of James Drake in the city of New Brunswick. Ensign Morford, of the Third Battalion of Middlesex militia, was tried for parading in arms with the men belonging to Capt. Perine's company, and marching from their post in mutiny, and found guilty, and adjudged to be cashiered and rendered incapable of serving in the militia as an officer during the war."

Says the "New Jersey Gazette" of Aug. 15, 1781:

"On the 5th instant, Captain Adam Hyler went from New Brunswick in an armed boat to Long Island, marched three miles and a half into the country, and made Captain Jeromus Lot, a Lieutenant-Colonel of Militia, and one John Hankins, a captain of a vessel, prisoners, and brought them safe to New Brunswick."

The surrender of Lord Cornwallis was celebrated in New Brunswick on Oct. 26, 1781, a news letter on this date stating:

"This day arrived here official accounts of the surrender of the Earl of Cornwallis, and, as might naturally be expected in a place which so sensibly feels the effects of the present war, occasioned universal joy and

satisfaction. In the evening were discharged thirteen cannon, after which a number of gentlemen of the city and neighborhood, and several strangers, of whom were Sir James Jay, and Richard Stevens, Esq., convened at Marriner's tavern, in order to spend an hour together in festivity and gladness. After supper the company, for the sake of conveniency, withdrew into another room, and, having appointed Mr. Kirkpatrick President, the following toasts were pronounced and drank: 1. The Congress and the United States of America. 2. His most Christian Majesty, Louis XVI. 3. The glorious Washington and the allied army. 4. His Excellency, the Count de Grasse, and the French navy. 5. His Excellency, the Count de Rochambeau. 6. General Greene and the Southern army. 7. The friends of American liberty. 8. The memorable 19th of October. 9. The memory of the brave who have fallen in their country's cause. 10. May the present revolution prove a terror to tyranny throughout the earth. 11. May the lilies of France and the stripes of America wave in triumph from shore to shore. 12. Liberty. 13. A speedy and honorable peace.

"The greatest order and decency was observed throughout the whole. As in the feast of Ahasuerus the king, the drinking was according to the law, none did compel, for it was appointed that they should do according to every man's pleasure. The evening being thus spent, each of the gentlemen drank a good-night to the company in a bumper, and retired."

From New Brunswick, Jan. 16, 1782, a final attack of the British on the city is recorded, and with it the extracts in this article may well conclude:

"About four o'clock last Wednesday morning, near three hundred of the enemy from New York, consisting of British and refugee troops, landed at the lower end of the town; our guards discovered their approaches on the river, by which means the inhabitants were alarmed about fifteen minutes before they landed. They were attacked by a small party whilst landing, in which they lost two men. Reinforcements were thrown in to support this party, but, being overpowered by numbers, and the enemy having gained the heights, they were obliged to retire. They then took possession of the town with little difficulty, for the darkness of the morning, and the enemy landing in different places, prevented us from assembling in force. They had possession of the town more than an hour, during which time very little opposition was made.

"When the blessed light of morning began to appear they retired to their boats, and a smart skirmishing commenced, which would have been much more severe had not many of our muskets been rendered useless by the falling of snow and rain; during which action no marks of fear were seen on either side. We had none killed and only five wounded. Peter Nefies, (Nevius) a brave soldier, we are fearful is in danger from his wound; the other four, who are equally brave, are in a fair way of recovery. Six of the inhabitants were made prisoners.

"The citizens in general with cheerfulness left their families and their property, and marched forth to oppose the enemy. They assembled with alertness, and behaved with spirit; in short no men in their peculiar sit-

uation could have done better. We cannot ascertain the loss of the enemy. They left two dead in the town; two more were killed at their first landing, and they were seen to carry off several. We have reason to believe they suffered on their return from the well directed fire of different parties assembled on the shores from Piscataway and South River. The taking of the whale-boats seemed to be their principal object, which they accomplished. Credit is due them for the execution of a well concerted plan, and much credit is due them for their humane treatment of the defenceless part of the community. No burnings or insults were permitted, and only two families were pillaged."

The foregoing report was signed by "John Taylor, Lieut. Colonel, Commandant 2d Batt. Middlesex Militia."

SOMERSET CIVIL LIST, 1688-1799

Supplementary to Snell's "Civil List"

There appears in Snell's "History of Hunterdon and Somerset" the only attempt ever made to gather up a "Civil List" for Somerset County. It is, as a rule, quite complete and accurate, but fails in Justices of the Peace and Judges of the Common Pleas; previous to 1766 in the case of Justices, and previous to 1778 in the case of Judges. The list of Sheriffs is also incomplete. We are now enabled to supplement this list, including occasionally Coroners, etc., from the beginnings of office-holding in the County; but it has been thought wise, also, to continue it until the end of the century (1799), and for convenience of reference, we have made it alphabetical in the names.

This list will be of value to many who trace their ancestry to the persons named, and for other historical purposes. It is made up in part from the record of commissions at Trenton, which was not consulted by Mr. Snell, but also from various other authorities and sources. The exact month and day of each commission appears on the Trenton records when such is our authority, but it has been deemed unnecessary to print more than the year or years of commission.

Until about 1715 it was usual to appoint Justices of the Peace and Judges for Somerset in connection with Middlesex and, frequently, with Essex, Hunterdon, etc., and in such cases the office-holders were frequently residents of one of these adjoining counties. This fact will be noticed in the list in the earlier years.

How long the commissions for Somerset ran in each case cannot be told from anything in the records, but, until after the Revolution the terms of Judges and Justices were usually for the years named or, in the case of Judges, for a term of Court.

As to the legal and historical years indicated in the records, we do not make the distinction in them as they appear in such records. As, for example, 1714/15 was, according to our present reckoning, 1715, that year seems sufficient to indicate a true date, and this mode of stating the year has been adopted in the following list.

The names are spelled as in the commissions, except when they vary; then the method most frequently used is given.

Allwood, Henry, Justice of the Peace, 1764, 1767, 1768; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; superceded 1769.

Anderson, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. other counties), 1713, 1715.

Annan, Joseph, Justice of the Peace, 1786, 1787, 1790, 1792; Judge of the Pleas, 1787.

Arrowsmith, Nicholas, Justice of the Peace, 1795, 1799.

Ayars, David, Justice of the Peace, 1794, 1799.

Ayers, John (see Ears and Eyers).

Ayers, Nathaniel, Justice of the Peace, 1776; Judge Com. Pleas, 1778, resigning Sept. 28, 1781.

Baker, Matthias, Justice of the Peace and Judge of Com. Pleas, 1784.

Barclay, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1713, 1715; clerk of Middlesex and Somerset, 1715.

Bard, Peter, Justice of the Peace (inc. other counties), 1725.

Bass, Jeremiah, Justice of the Peace (inc. other counties), 1705, 1708, 1710.

Beatty, John, Justice of the Peace and Judge Com. Pleas, 1791.

Beavers, Robert, Justice of the Peace and Judge Com. Pleas, 1792.

Beekman, Ma— (Martin?), Justice of the Peace, 1730.

Bergen, Jacob, Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768, 1776; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Com. Pleas, 1776.

Berrien, John, Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1739; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771.

Berry, Thomas, Justice of the Peace, 1774, 1776, 1781; Judge Com. Pleas, 1781.

Bishop, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1710, 1711, 1713, 1715; Judge Com. Pleas, 1715.

Blackford, Benjamin, Justice of the Peace, 1787, 1792.

Blair, Robert, Justice of the Peace, 1791, 1794; Judge Com. Pleas, 1791, 1794.

Bogart, Jacob, Justice of the Peace, 1775.

Barrow, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1713, 1715.

Berry, Thomas, Justice of the Peace, 1773.

Boylan, John, Justice of the Peace, 1787, 1792.

Brinson (Brunson), Barefoot, High Sheriff (inc. Middlesex), 1709.

Brittain, Nicholas, Justice of the Peace, 1749, 1752.

Brocaw, John, Justice of the Peace, 1725, 1752, 1767; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770; superceded at his own request as Justice of the Peace, Oct. 22, 1772.

Broughton, John, Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1749, 1752.

Bryan, John, Justice of the Peace, 1795, 1799.
Brown, Edward, Justice of the Peace, 1776.
Burr, Rev. Aaron, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1757; Ditto of the Quorum, 1757.
Byerly, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. other counties), 1713, 1715.
Campbell, John, Tax Assessor, 1688.
Cary, John, Judge Com. Pleas, 1767, 1768; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771.
Cochran, Richard, Justice of the Peace, 1769; Judge Com. Pleas, 1772.
Codrington, Capt. Thomas "of Racawackhacca on Raritan River," Justice Court of Common Right, 1684, 1698 (app. for Middlesex, 1684), (various counties), 1684; Member of Governor's Council, 1698.
Coeyman, Samuel, Justice of the Peace, 1759 (also earlier, but date not found).
Cole, James, Justice of the Peace, 1795.
Cook, John, Justice of the Peace, 1725.
Corle, John, Justice of the Peace, 1739; Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1739; Judge of Com. Pleas, 1749; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1752, 1755, 1756.
Corry, John, Justice of the Peace, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1774.
Coxe, Daniel, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1710.
Davis, Isaac, Justice of the Peace, 1788.
Davison, William, Justice of the Peace, 1781.
Deacon, George, Justice of the Peace (inc. Somerset) 1708, 1709; Judge of Com. Pleas (inc. Burlington and Essex), 1709.
Demond, Peter, Justice of the Peace, 1725; Ass't Judge of Com. Pleas, 1725.
Dennis, Samuel, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1726.
Drake, John, Justice of the Peace, 1708, 1710, 1713, 1715; Ass't Judge Com. Pleas, 1715.
Dubois, Nicholas, Justice of the Peace, 1782, 1788, 1794, 1799; Judge Com. Pleas, 1787, 1792, 1794, 1799.
Dumont, Peter, Sheriff, 1778, 1779, 1780.
Dumont, Peter I., Justice of the Peace, 1781, 1786, 1795; Judge Com. Pleas, 1795.
Dundass, James, War Tax Assessor, 1688.
Dunham, Edmund, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex) 1710, 1711.
Dunstar, Daniel Donaldson, Commissioner to Take Bail, 1742.
Ears [Ayers], John, Justice of the Peace, 1730; Ditto of the Quorum, 1739.
Ewbank, George, Clerk of the Peace and Common Pleas (inc. Middlesex), 1710, 1711.
Eyers, John, Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1749, 1752.
Farmer, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1713, 1715, 1725; Judge Com. Pleas, 1711, 1715, 1725.
Field, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1713, 1715.
Fisher, Hendrick, Justice of the Peace, 1759; Judge of Com. Pleas, 1759; Judge of Oyer and Terminer, 1759, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770.

Frelinghuysen, Frederick, Member of Congress, 1776; declined reëlection 1779; Clerk of Peace and Common Pleas, 1781; Member of Congress, 1782; Clerk of Pleas and Sessions, 1786, 1791; U. S. Senator, 1792; resigns, 1796; Clerk of Com. Pleas, 1796; resigns, 1799.

Frelinghuysen, John, Clerk of Com. Pleas, 1799.

Gaston, John, Justice of the Peace, 1776.

Gaston, Robert, Justice of the Peace, 1781, 1787; Judge Com. Pleas, 1787.

Gibbs, George, Justice of the Peace, 1725.

Gordon, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. other counties), 1713, 1714.

Griffith, Alexander, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1713.

Griggs, Daniel, Justice of the Peace, 1730; Ditto of the Quorum, 1739.

Griggs, John, Justice of the Peace, 1725.

Griggs, Samuel, Justice of the Peace, 1731.

Grubb, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1711.

Gulick, Peter, Justice of the Peace, 1730.

Hageman, Andries, Justice of the Peace, 1776, 1781.

Hall, William, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1710.

Hamilton, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1713, 1715; (of Somerset only), 1725.

Hardenbergh, Jacob, Justice of the Peace and Judge Com. Pleas, 1794.

Hardenbergh, John, Justice of the Peace and Judge Com. Pleas, 1790.

Harrison, ——— (?), Coroner, 1730.

Harrison, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705, 1711, 1713, 1715; Ass't Judge (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1715; Sheriff, 1715.

Harrison, William, Coroner (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1715.

Hegeman, Joseph, Justice of the Peace, 1739.

Hogeland, Christopher, Justice of the Peace, 1785, 1790.

Hogeland, Christopher, Jr. [probably same as above], Justice of the Peace, 1776.

Hollingshead, David, Justice of the Peace, 1725; Ass't Judge, 1725.

Hooper, Robert Lettice, Justice of the Peace, 1749, 1752.

Hude, Adam, High Sheriff (inc. Middlesex), 1708; Justice of the Peace, 1711, 1713, 1714; Ass't Judge Com. Pleas (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1713.

Hude, James, Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1774; Surrogate, 1768.

Huddy, Hugh, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex, etc.), 1710, 1713, 1715.

Hugg, John, Justice of the Peace, 1725.

Hughes, Aaron, Justice of the Peace, 1730.

Jenings, Samuel, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705.

Jobbs, John, Justice of the Peace, 1730.

Johnson, John, Justice of the Peace, 1776, 1781.

Johnson, Thomas R., Notary Public, 1799.

Kelly, David, Justice of the Peace, 1781, 1786, 1791; Judge Common Pleas, 1794, 1799.

Kelsey, Enos, Justice of the Peace and Judge Common Pleas, 1776.

Kemble, Peter, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1774.
Kirkpatrick, Alexander, Justice of the Peace, 1776.
Kirkpatrick, David, Justice of the Peace, 1776.
Kirkpatrick, James, Justice of the Peace, 1781.
Lane, Gizebert, Justice of the Peace and of the Quorum, 1739.
Leeds, Daniel, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705, 1708.
Lefferty, Bryan, Justice of the Peace, 1749, 1759, 1767, 1768; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Com. Pleas, 1759; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1759, 1767, 1768, 1769.
Lefferty, John, Surrogate, 1768; Justice of the Peace, 1771.
Leigh, Ichabod, Justice of the Peace, 1781, 1786.
Leonard, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1713, 1715; Ditto of Somerset, 1725, 1730, 1739; Ass't Judge Com. Pleas (inc. Middlesex), 1711; Judge Com. Pleas, 1725, 1730, 1749; Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1739, 1752; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1752, 1753, 1755, 1756.
Leonard, Thomas, Jr., Justice of the Peace (about 1760; no date given).
Lewis, Edward, Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768.
Linn, Alexander, Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768; Ditto of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Com. Pleas and Oyer and Terminer, 1772.
Linn, James, Justice of the Peace and Judge Com. Pleas, 1776.
Livingston, Walter, Justice of the Peace, 1760, 1769; Judge Com. Pleas, 1769, 1772; Judge of Terminer, 1770, 1772, 1774.
Lockhart, Ephraim, Justice of the Peace, 1749, 1752.
Lockhart, Garven, Sheriff (inc. Middlesex), 1711.
Longfield, Cornelius, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705, 1708, 1710.
Low, Dirick, Justice of the Peace, 1777.
Lyell, David, Justice of the Peace, 1725.

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BRANCHBURG TOWNSHIP VOTERS, 1866

A REGISTER of the voters of Branchburg township for the year 1866 contains the following names. This list gives the then male residents of that township, of twenty-one years and upward. After some names there is an entry of "gone," or "dead," which indicates that the comment was made the following year. We print the list as we find it, as it may prove valuable for future reference.

Amerman, Abraham A. (Dead)
Amerman, Daniel H.
Amerman, Henry
Amerman, Abraham T.
Auten, A. J.
Amerman, John S.
Amerman, William H.
Agans, Peter R.
Amerman, James
Amerman, Abraham
Brokaw, Frederick D.
Brokaw, William
Beekman, John
Beekman, John H.
Biggs, Abraham
Beekman, Daniel

Brokaw, John W. (Gone)
Bergen, Jasper
Ball, Lewis
Bell, Peter (Gone)
Bryant, Anderson B.
Brokaw, Jacob K.
Ball, Charles M.
Brokaw, Joseph
Beers, Samuel H.
Carkhuff, Henry
Carkhuff, Mahlon
Cose, Henry (Dead)
Clawson, John
Cramer, Peter E.
Corle, Calvin
Carkhuff, Levi
Cavilier, John (Gone)
Corliss, Willoby
Cole, Tunis (Gone)
Conover, James S.
Case, Peter E. (Gone)
Dilts, Asher
Dilts, William J.
Dalley, John Y.
Dumont, Peter
Dugan, Henry, Senior
Dugan, Henry
Dumont, John A.
Disborough, Christopher
Daniels, Philip (Gone)
Dilts, Paul K.
Dilley, David (Gone)
Dumont, C. N.
Dilley, John
Dalley, John
Dilts, Peter P.
Dalley, George
Dalley, John, Jr.
Dumont, Abraham
Deramer, Edward
Emmons, Peter
Emery, William (Gone)
Foster, John R.
Fisher, George B.
Flemming, Andrew
Flemming, George
Field, Jeremiah
Field, Aaron L.
Field, Henry
Fleming, John
Gleoser, John C.
Gano, George
Gano, Stephen (Gone)
Gallivan, John
Hoffman, Peter F. (Gone)
Henry, William
Harmer, Daniel
Hill, John T. (Gone)
Hill, Edward L. (Gone)
Hall, Gershom (Gone)
Hull, James
Hull, William H. H.
Huff, Peter
Hall, Edward
Hall, William A. (Gone)
Huff, Jacob P.
Hall, William W.
Huff, Peter P.
Hall, Samuel
Hall, Tunis H.
Hall, Tunis C.
Huff, Isaac B.
Huff, Cornelius C.
Hall, Isaac H., Jr.
Hill, Abraham
Huyler, William (Gone)
Hall, William Wallace
Hall, Robert B.
Hall, Isaac H.
Hall, Isaac
Hagaman, Abraham P.
Hagaman, Richard F.
Hagaman, Jeremiah
Hagaman, James
Hoagland, John
Hagaman, John (Gone)
Hoagland, Dennis S.
Hall, Jacob P.
Hoagland, Peter
Higgins, William L.
Huff, Jacob, Jr.
Hall, Cornelius V. (Gone)
Hall, Samuel D. (Gone)
Hall, Jacob E.
Hall, Dennis L.
Higgins, Jesse
Higgins, Jacob V.
Higgins, Augustus
Higgins, William B.
Hoagland, Josiah Q. (Gone)

Hyman, Philip
Hall, Isaac V.
Huff, Elijah G.
Hoagland, William N.
Huff, John W.
Hoagland, Edward B. (Gone)
Huff, Jacob R.
Huff, George P.
Hall, Henry
Hoagland, Harman
Hall, Peter C.
Hill, Benjamin F.
Johnson, Jacob W. (Gone)
Johnson, Richard
Johnson, Henry (Gone)
Johnson, Henry P.
Kershow, Gilbert L.
Kline, Peter K.
Kitchen, Robert (Gone)
Kitchen, John (Gone)
Kinney, Joseph H.
Kiple, Lewis
Kiple, Edward B.
Little, Abraham D.
Lane, Abraham H.
Little, Samuel B.
Little, John
Little, Garret Q.
Lane, Gilbert C. (Dead)
Lewis, Daniel
Myers, John B. D.
McCarthy, Timothy
Martin, James (Gone)
Manning, Isaac P. (Gone)
Mohony, John
Manning, Samuel H.
Miller, George H.
McWilliams, John
Moulton, Benjamin
Neff, John (Gone)
Neff, Jacob R. (Gone)
Nevius, Garret
Nevius, Zenas L.
Nevius, Cornelius L.
Nevius, Abraham V. D.
Porter, Timothy
Pittinger, George
Pittenger, Isaac L. (Gone)
Parker, James E.
Post, Peter A.
Quick, Garret V.
Quick, John V. H.
Quick, Peter D., Jr.
Quick, Peter D.
Quick, Wyckoff
Robbins, Sylvester
Runk, George W.
Reed, Joseph
Runyon, John
Robbins, Jonas
Ryan, Patrick
Reger, Frederick
Rorer, George W. (Gone)
Sutphen, John G.
Sutphen, John
Schenck, Henry
Smith, William D.
Stephens, Robert
Schomp, Henry P.
Smith, John I.
Schomp, George
Shurts, Garret S.
Stryker, Jacob R.
Stillwell, John V. N.
Smith, John
Smith, Cornelius V. D.
Stryker, John B. (Gone)
Smith, B. B.
Shurts, Garret V.
Schenck, Asher
Schomp, Peter G.
Studdiford, L. V. D.
Studdiford, Peter
Saums, John A. (Gone)
Staats, Abraham
Shepperd, William
Schenck, John G.
Saums, Minna V.
Saums, Cornelius V.
Skillman, Hiram R.
Salter, Franklin
Smith, Oliver H.
Stryker, Garret (Dead)
Smith, Alexander B. R.
Shurts, Andrew K.
Shaw, George H.
Schenck, Israel
Stryker, Christopher
Shepperd, Dennis V. L. (Gone)
Smith, John H.

Thompson, Joseph
Titus, Randolph
Ten Eyck, Arthur S.
Ten Eyck, Jacob
Ten Eyck, J. A. P. (Gone)
Tunison, James C.
Ten Eyck, Edward W.
Tunison, Abraham K.
Ten Eyck, George
Ten Eyck, Joseph V. M. (Gone)
Tiffany, William H.
Ten Eyck, John
Ten Eyck, James
Ten Eyck, Abraham W.
Tunison, Philip
Tunison, Henry
Thompson, John A. (Gone)
Tunison, Abraham P.
Toms, John
Van Doren, Abraham D.
Van Doren, William
Vosseller,Theodore
Van Derveer, Peter N.
Van Fleet, Adrian
Van Derveer, Henry
Van Fleet, Abraham B.
Vosseller, John
Voorhees, Jacob P.
Van Nest, John C. (Gone)
Van Doren, Asher
Vanderbeek, Benyou D.
Van Dyke, Benjamin
Van Nest, Abraham
Van Cleef, Cornelius S.
Van Dervoort, Abraham T.
Van Fleet, Abraham B., Sen. (Gone)
Van Fleet, Abraham (Gone)
Voorhees, Lucas
Van Camp, Tunis
Van Doren, Henry
Van Fleet, James O. (Gone)
Van Camp, John
Van Camp, Peter
Van Fleet, Sylvester S. (Gone)
Van Nest, Thomas
Van Nest, Jacob
Van Fleet, John A.
Voorhees, George L. (Gone)
Voorhees, Jacob W.
Voorhees, Abraham W.
Van Arsdale, Ruliph P.
Voorhees, Peter J.
Voorhees, John P. (Dead)
Vroom, Henry
Van Fleet, Henry
Van Fleet, Peter
Vroom, Peter D.
Voorhees, Henry V.
Voorhees, Samuel G.
Vosseller, Lucas
Vanderveer, James D. (Gone)
Voorhees, Bergen B.
Wood, William B.
Weeks, Charles G.
Wilcox, Robert E.
Wortman, William
Whitlock, William R. (Gone)
Wallace, Thomas
Williamson, Cors. W.
Williamson, Cors. C.
Wyman, John
Williams, John V.
Williams, Philip T.
Young, Ralph S. (Dead)
Young, John J.

DESCENDANTS OF CORNELIUS VAN LIEW, OF THREE-MILE RUN

BY THE LATE "AUNT BETSEY" VAN LIEW

[NOTE BY EDITOR.—The following notes on the descendants of Cornelius Van Lieu, were written by the same Elizabeth Van Liew, familiarly known as "Aunt Betsey," whose "Jottings from an Old Journal" was published in the January, 1918, QUARTERLY. She died in 1873. The arrangement of names, according to our usual style of publishing family genealogies has been made, and the dates, etc., in brackets, furnished by Mr. John J. DeMott, of Metuchen, to whom we are indebted for these notes. The exactness and quaintness of the matter in many of the details have been left as "Aunt Betsey" wrote them].

CORNELIUS VAN LIEW (1) was b. August 27, 1752. He was m., November 2, 1775, to Mary (or Maria) Hegeman, by Minister Ferrian. At the time of his marriage he lived at Middlebush, while she was from Six-Mile Run. Cornelius d. January 26, 1798, on Friday evening, after suffering for eighteen months from a lingering consumption. He was buried the following Sunday. His wife d. August 22, 1827, on Wednesday evening. She was b. October 24, 1756, and was, therefore, 70 years and 10 months old. Dr. Cannon preached her funeral sermon on Friday, his text being Micah 2:10: "Arise ye and depart, for this is not your rest." She had a severe stroke of palsy on June 6, 1822. From that date she was not as active as before, but had fairly good health until the day of her death, when she passed away in less than one hour after another stroke of palsy, or apoplexy.[1]

CHILDREN OF CORNELIUS VAN LIEW (1) AND MARY HEGEMAN:

2. DENICE (son of Cornelius) was b. June 8, 1776; d. Sept. 13, 1833; m. Oct. 17, 1811, Mary Hartough, by Minister Livingston, in the evening. Denice died on Friday morning, of typhus fever. Dr. Sears

[1]The will of Cornelius Van Liew, recorded at Trenton in Book 38, page 134, was dated July 11, 1797; probat. Oct. 4, 1798, describes him as of Three-Mile Run, Somerset County; mentions wife, all children except Helena, who died young; also brothers Denice and John.

This Cornelius Van Liew, of Three-Mile Run (bapt. at Six-Mile Run Oct. 1, 1752), was son of Denice Van Liew, b. Mar. 25, 1729; d. Oct. 17, 1777; m., Dec. 26, 1751, Eida Wyckoff, who was 16 years old at time of her marriage. She d. Feb. 27, 1775.

Denice Van Liew was son of Frederick Van Liew, b. Apr. 30, 1694; d. Nov. 27, 1756; m., Mar. 9, 1717, Helena Denice, who was b. Mar. 5, 1700, and d. Mar. 6, 1784. He resided at Middlebush.

Frederick Van Liew was son of Frederick Hendricksen Van Leeuwen, of Jamaica, L. I., and his wife Dinah. They emigrated from Utrecht, Holland, with nine children, before 1670, and he purchased property in Middlesex and Somerset Nov. 17, 1701.

Investigators into the history of the Van Liews should consult "The Van Liew Family," a brief but good genealogy (so far as it goes) prepared in 1910, by Thomas L. Van Liew, 933 Morrison Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Copies are in the New York Public Library, and the New Jersey Historical Society Library at Newark. The name comes from Leeuwen in Gelderland.—J. J. D.

preached his funeral on Saturday, from Job 30:23. Mary Hartough d. Feb. 2, 1857, at New Brunswick, of consumption.

3. ALTIE (dau. of Cornelius) was b. Dec. 26, 1778; d. June 27, 1824; m. Nov. 16, 1802, William Van Nostrand, who was b. June 4, 1775, and died Dec. 22, 1839. They were married by Minister Cannon. Altie died of a lingering consumption, which she had for fifteen months. Mr. Pherris preached her funeral the day following her death, from Luke 13:23 and 24. William Van Nostrand went from Three-Mile Run to Illinois in the fall of 1839. He started Sept. 7 and arrived Oct. 7, intending to visit his children, see that part of the country and return sometime the same winter. But he was taken ill with inflammation of the lungs, which lasted only eight or nine days before causing his death. He d. at the home of his son-in-law, Thomas Lewis, at Springfield, Ill., at noon on Sunday. His remains were interred there. (For ch., see infra).

4. SIMON (son of Cornelius), was b. Aug. 29, 1782; d. Dec. 24, 1848; m., Dec. 16, 1805, Sceighte Vanderveer, who was b. Nov. 21, 1785, and d. Jan. 26, 1847. They were married in the evening, by Dr. Cannon. She died after an illness of only one week from fever. Dr. Sears' text at her funeral was I Thess. 4:13. Simon died very suddenly on Sunday, while he was preparing to shave. Dr. Sears preached his funeral on Dec. 26, from Proverbs 27:1: "Boast not thyself of tomorrow, for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth." Lived at Six-Mile Run. (For ch., see infra).

5. CORNELIUS (son of Cornelius), was b. Aug. 25, 1785; d. Jan. 28, 1860; m., Nov. 23, 1814, Ann Suydam, daughter of Laurence and Abigail Suydam, who was b. Aug. 14, 1793, and died Nov. 23, 1865. They were married by Dr. Cannon, in the evening. All of their eleven children were baptized at Six-Mile Run. All except Adaline were born there; Adaline being born at Neshanic, after the family moved there in the Spring of 1838. Cornelius was buried at Middlebush, according to his own request, his funeral sermon being preached by Rev. Gabriel Ludlow. His wife d. at the home of her son-in-law, Stephen Cromwell, at Rocky Hill. Rev. Mr. Gesney preached her funeral from Rev. 14:13. (For ch., see infra).

6. IDA (dau. of Cornelius), was b. Nov. 23, 1787; [died Aug. 4, 1784]; m., Oct. 8, 1809, Henry Vroom DeMott, who was b. April 20, 1786, [and d. Feb. 27, 1875]. They were married on Sunday morning by Dr. J. S. Cannon. They lived and died at Middlebush, where he was a farmer. For some years he also conducted a butcher business in New Brunswick, N. J. (For ch., see infra).

7. Elizabeth (dau. of Cornelius), was b. Apr. 6, 1790; [died Nov. 24, 1873]; unmarried. [The author of these notes and faithful recorder of local happenings. For many years she made her home with Henry Vroom DeMott, at Middlebush. Though of an unusually religious nature, she did not become a church member until late in life, when she made this entry in her journal: "Elizabeth Van Liew made a profession of faith in Christ April 18, 1862, at Middlebush, Rev. John A. Van Doren, Pastor, at the age of 72 years and 12 days. Help me O Lord, to consecrate my few remaining days to Thy service, and to the good of my fellow creatures, in the enjoyment of faith and love and penitence"].

8. Helena (dau. of Cornelius), was b. Sep. 7, 1792; d. Mar. 26, 1793.

9. Frederick (son of Cornelius), was b. Feb. 21, 1795; d. Aug. 22, 1867; m. Feb. 15, 1819, Agnes Pumyeá, who was b. at Three-Mile Run, June 25, 1799, and d. Aug. 25, 1857. They were married by Dr. Cannon. Their first four children were born in New Jersey. On Tuesday morning, June 5, 1832, they left New Jersey to make a new home in the "Lake Country" of Central New York. They settled at Lysander, Onondaga county, where their last two children were born and the remainder of their lives were spent. They kept in touch with their New Jersey relatives, and for many years visits were exchanged in both directions. (For ch., see infra).

Children of William Van Nostrand and Altie Van Liew (3):

(1). Maria Van Nostrand, b. Sep. 12, 1803, on Sabbath morning.

(2). John Van Nostrand, b. May 22, 1805; d. Feb. 29, 1808, of whooping cough.

(3). Cornelius Van Nostrand, b. Dec. 3, 1807. Left New Jersey in June, 1837, for Illinois.

(4). Margaret Ann Van Nostrand, b. Oct. 4, 1810; m. April 4, 1832, Thomas Lewis who was b. July 9, 1808. They were married on Wednesday evening by Dr. Cannon. Their first two children were born in New Brunswick, N. J. In June, 1837, they left New Jersey and settled in Springfield, Illinois. Cornelius Van Nostrand accompanied them on this migration. Children: (a) Adaline Lewis, b. Sep. 12, 1833; m., Mar. 17, 1858, S. D. Ayers, of Decatur, Ill., and had ch.: Annie Lucinda Ayers, b. Apr. 27, 1859, and d. Aug. 25, 1859; William Judson Ayers, b. Sep. 11, 1860; Alletie Ayers, b. Dec. 9, 1861; Lewis Clifton Ayers, b. Nov. 22, 1864. (b) William Thomas Lewis, b. Sep. 25, 1836. (c) Charles Henry Lewis, b. Aug. 11, 1839, and d. Feb. 6, 1855. (d) Cornelius V. N. Lewis, b. Dec. 25, 1845, and d. Jan. 23, 1846. (e) Albert Lewis, b. Aug. 1, 1849.

(5). Isaac Van Nostrand, b. May 29, 1813.

(6). Frederick Van Nostrand, b. Aug. 9, 1817; m. May 22, 1850, Margaret Jane Blanden, who was b. Sep. 6, 1827. At the time of their marriage they were both of Sangamon county, Illinois. Children: (a) William Van Nostrand, b. Mar. 7, 1851. (b) Maria Van Nostrand, b. May 31, 1852. (c) Margaret Van Nostrand, b. July 24, 1854. (d) Adaline Van Nostrand, b. Mar. 7, 1856.

CHILDREN OF SIMON VAN LIEW (4) AND SCEIGHTE VANDERVEER:

10. A SON. B. and d. Nov. 12, 1806.

11. MARIA, b. Nov. 1, 1807; d. Jan. 26, 1847; m. Sep. 20, 1831, Benjamin Van Doren Wyckoff, who was b. Apr. 15, 1808, and d. Oct. 23, 1855. They were married on Tuesday evening by Rev. James Romeyn. Children: (1) Simon Wyckoff, b. Mar. 4, 1833. (2) A daughter, b. and d. Feb. 27, 1836. (3) Cynthia Wyckoff, b. Feb. 6, 1837. (4) Sophia Wyckoff, b. Mar. 4, 1840; d. Apr. 30, 1843. (5) A son, b. Apr. 16, 1843; d. Apr. 19, 1843. (6) A daughter, b. and d. Mar. 13, 1844. (7) son, b. and d. Apr. 6, 1845. (8) Sarah Adaline Wyckoff, b. Mar. 4, 1846. Maria Van Liew Wyckoff died of a fever from which she suffered only a week, being confined to her bed but three or four days and retaining her reason until the last. Rev. John A. Van Doren preached her funeral from Job 17:13. Benjamin Van Doren Wyckoff m., second, April 17, 1850, Lucretia Skillman. He d. Oct. 23, 1855, and was buried on the 25th; Rev. John A. Van Doren preaching his funeral from Psa. 12:1. He lived an exemplary life and was afflicted for several months with a painful disease which he patiently bore. He was taken away in the midst of usefulness, being a great loss to the church, Sabbath School and prayer meeting, from which he was seldom absent.

12. GARRET, b. May 24, 1810; m. Nov. 14, 1832, Mary Ann French, who was b. Apr. 2, 1813. They were married by Rev. James Romeyn, on Wednesday evening.

13. SARAH, b. Jan. 28, 1813; m., Jan. 12, 1831, John S. Garretson, who was b. Sep. 27, 1809, and d. Sep. 14, 1865. They were married on Wednesday evening by Rev. James Romeyn. Children: (1) Gertrude Elizabeth Garretson, b. Sep. 30, 1839; d. Sep. 20, 1840. (2) Francynthia Maria Garretson, b. Dec. 20, 1846; d. July 4, 1847. (3) Charles Alfred Garretson, b. Mar. 26, 1849. On May 9, 1865, Mr. and Mrs. Garretson and their son Charles started from New Jersey for the West, expecting to see the country and visit their large circle of relatives and friends. On Sep. 5, while at Milton, Illinois, he was taken sick with typhoid fever, dying on Sept. 14. On Saturday, the 16th, at one o'clock, Mrs. Garretson and her son started East with the body. They arrived in

Millstone on the evening of the 20th, where the remains were let down into the grave by the light of lamps. His funeral sermon was preached the following Sunday afternoon by his pastor, Mr. Corwin, from Rev. 22:12.

14. Cornelius, b. July 6, 1815; m. Oct. 2, 1848, Maria Hulse, who was b. July 24, 1819. They were married at five o'clock in the afternoon by Rev. Jacob C. Sears. (For ch., see infra).

15. Simon, of Somerville, N. J., b. Mar. 8, 1820; m. Sep. 25, 1844, Elizabeth S. Bergen, who was b. Aug. 14, 1819. They were married by Rev. Dr. Messler, of Somerville. [He was sheriff of Somerset co. in 1878-9]. (For ch., see infra).

16. Peter, b. May 19, 1823; d. Aug. 25, 1826. Died of dysentary.

Children of Cornelius Van Liew (5) and Ann Suydam:

17. Denice, b. July 18, 1815; d. Sep. 8, 1816.

18. Abigail, b. May 18, 1817; m., Nov. 23, 1842, Samuel B. Robbins (this being his second marriage), who was b. Mar. 17, 1801, and d. Sep. 12, 1851. They were married at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, by Rev. Gabriel Ludlow. Mr. Robbins died of palsy. John Robbins, a son by his first marriage, d. Dec. 24, 1850, aged 22 years. Children: (1) Cornelius Van Liew Robbins, b. Oct. 1, 1843. (2) Lemuel Halsey Robbins, b. Jan. 25, 1846. (3) Anna Elizabeth Robbins, b. Aug. 10, 1851; d. Aug. 25, 1851.

19. Cornelius Denice, b. July 6, 1820; died Nov. 12, 1859. Married Sep. 21, 1844, Catherine Van Sant, born Feb. 11, 1816. They were married on Saturday afternoon by Rev. John A. Van Doren. (For ch., see infra).

20. Laurence, b. Apr. 29, 1822; d. Jan. 31, 1860; m., first, Jan. 26, 1851, Martha Davis, of Ohio, who d. in March, 1852; second, June 1, 1856, Margaret Brokaw, of Middlebush, by Rev. Mr. Demarest, of Bound Brook, N. J., on Sabbath morning. (For ch., see infra).

21. Maria, b. Oct. 7, 1823; m., Sep. 27, 1845, Elijah Huff, who was b. Sep. 18, 1822. They were married on Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, by Rev. Gabriel Ludlow. Children: (1) George Huff, b. Sep. 7, 1846. (2) Cornelius Huff, b. Mar. 29, 1848. (3) John Huff, b. Sep. 9, 1850. (4) William Huff, b. June 28, 1852. (5) Henry DeMott Huff, b. Aug. 9, 1855; d. Mar. 6, 1856. (6) Charles Huff, b. Oct. 27, 1857. (7) Elizabeth Hoagland Huff, b. Aug. 12, 1860.

22. Elizabeth, b. Mar. 24, 1826; m. Jan. 20, 1848, Stephen Cromwell, who was b. Mar. 1, 1817. They were married Thursday evening by Rev. Gabriel Ludlow. Children: (1) John Cromwell, b. Dec. 16, 1848;

d. Feb. 9, 1865, of spotted fever. (2) Anna Cromwell, b. Dec. 1, 1852; d. Mar. 1, 1865, of spotted fever, after an illness of only twelve hours.

23. John C., b. Jan. 11, 1828; m., Jan. 17, 1856, Mary Polhemus, who was b. Nov. 10, 1839, (daughter of Daniel and Maria Polhemus, of Fairview, Illinois). They were married on Thursday evening by Domine Wilson, of Fairview. (For ch., see infra).

24. William, b. Apr. 1, 1830; m. Mary Elizabeth Young, who was b. Jan. 18, 1840. (For ch., see infra).

25. Ida Ann, b. Mar. 21, 1833; m., Sep. 27, 1856, Barjoe Van Ness, who was b. May 3, 1819. They were married at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, by Rev. Merrel, of Newark. Children: (1) Abraham Milledge Van Ness, b. Jan. 18, 1859. (2) Cornelius Van Ness, b. Nov. 7, 1859; d. Nov. 17, 1859. (3) Mary Elizabeth Van Ness, b. Mar. 12, 1861.

26. Sarah Ellen, b. Sep. 15, 1836; m., Jan. 28, 1868, Haigh F. Hillpot. They were married at 10 o'clock in the morning by Rev. Jerolamon, at Fairview, Ill.

27. Adaline, b. Dec. 23, 1838.

Children of Henry Vroom DeMott and Ida Van Liew (6):

(1) Maria DeMott, b. Oct. 28, 1810; [died July 4, 1877]; m., June 6, 1843, Peter V. Staats, who was b. Sep. 28, 1810. He was son of Rynear Staats, of Roycefield, who d. Oct. 16, 1846, and Catharine Voorhees, who d. Mar. 4, 1866. Maria DeMott and Peter V. Staats were married by Rev. John Addison Van Doren, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Peter V. Staats had previously m., Oct. 2, 1832, Catharine Peterson, who was b. Jan. 1, 1814, and d. Mar. 30, 1840. After her marriage to Peter V. Staats, Maria DeMott moved to Raritan, N. J. (Sep. 20, 1843) and commenced housekeeping. Children: (a) Henry DeMott Staats, b. June 15, 1844; m., Jan. 11, 1866, Garetta Wyckoff, who was b. Mar. 31, 1847, (daughter of Sexton Wyckoff). (b) A daughter, b. and d. Mar. 29, 1846. (c) Catherine Maria Staats, b. Mar. 11, 1847; d. Feb. 23, 1848. (d) Gertrude Staats, b. Oct. 24, 1848. (e) Ida Elizabeth Staats, b. Sep. 4, 1850. (f) Peter Davis Staats, b. Sep. 12, 1852. (g) John DeMott Staats, b. Mar. 12, 1854.

(2) John DeMott, b. July 17, 1812; [died Jan. 1, 1896]; m., Aug. 13, 1839, Matilda Voorhees, who was born Sept. 8, 1817, [and d. Apr. 29, 1893]. She was daughter of Jaques Voorhees, who was b. May 27, 1792, and d. Sep. 21, 1828, and Anne Van Liew, who was b. Mar. 15, 1795, and d. 1870. They were married by Rev. Jacob C. Sears, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. John DeMott was a farmer, at Middlebush. He was a member of the New Jersey Legislature and was also for a time

in the lumber business in New Brunswick. Children: (a) Anna Voorhees DeMott, b. Aug. 22, 1840; d. Oct. 4, 1842, of dysentary, after a sickness of a week. (b) Ida DeMott, b. Mar. 1, 1842; d. Oct. 6, 1842, of dysentary, after an illness of only one day. Rev. Mr. Van Doren preached the funeral sermons of both these children, who died within two days of each other. (c) John DeMott, b. Aug. 5, 1843; [died Dec. 28, 1880]. He left New Jersey Jan. 20, 1869, and was a physician at Marseilles, Illinois. He m., Dec. 19, 1872, Jennie Trumbo, who was b. Aug. 31, 1852. [They had children: Ambrose Jay DeMott, b. Feb. 23, 1875; d. Feb. 27, 1877, and Harry Vroom DeMott, b. Sep. 23, 1878; died May 19, 1879]. (d) Cornelia Pomeroy DeMott, b. Dec. 16, 1848; d. June 2, 1856, of typhoid fever. (e) Henry Vroom DeMott, b. Oct. 2, 1847; [died Nov. 1, 1887; m., Dec. 10, 1873, Margaretta Ford Clark, who was b. May 15, 1847]. (f) Jacques Voorhees DeMott, b. Oct. 25, 1852; [d. Dec. 22, 1889]. (g) Howard DeMott.

(3) Elizabeth DeMott, b. Sep. 14, 1814; d. June 4, 1847; m., Nov. 11, 1835, Garret Garretson, who was b. July 29, 1812, and d. Aug. 7, 1844. They were married on Wednesday evening by Rev. Jacob I. Shultz. In the spring of 1836 they settled at Weston, near Millstone, N. J. Garret Garretson was apparently in good health until about 1842. His health then commenced to fail and continued until his death in 1844. By this time two of the three children had also died. A vendue was held on Oct. 3, 1844, after which Elizabeth returned to her father's home at Middlebush. She appeared almost overcome by her bereavement, and in 1846 began to decline in what proved to be her last illness. Rev. John A. Van Doren preached both funeral sermons. They are buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Middlebush. Children: (a) John Henry Garretson, b. Oct. 30, 1838; died Mar. 19, 1842. (b) Maria Louisa Garretson, b. Mar. 19, 1840; d. Oct. 17, 1843. (c) Eleanor Augusta Garretson, twin of Maria Louisa, b. Mar. 19, 1840; m., first, Aug. 31, 1864, Abraham A. Suydam, who was b. Dec. 23, 1838, and d. May 9, 1865; and, second, May 14, 1868, John V. D. Pumyea, residing at Belle Mead, N. J.

Children of Frederick Van Liew (9) and Agnes Pumyea:

28. Cornelius, b. Jan. 23, 1820; m., Feb. 28, 1853, Nancy Verity, who was b. Dec. 4, 1824. (For ch., see infra).

29. John Pumyea, b. July 6, 1822; m., Mar. 19, 1856, Rachel Elizabeth Vanderveer, who was b. Sep. 29, 1836.

30. Maria Elizabeth, b. Aug. 12, 1824; d. Apr. 6, 1846.

31. Jane, b. Aug. 4, 1828; d. Sep. 2, 1864; m., Nov. 16, 1853, Abraham Baird, of Lysander, Onondaga Co., N. Y. They were married at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening by Rev. William Bradford. After the

death of Jane Van Liew, Abraham Baird m., second, Dec. 21, 1865, Mrs. Robbs, of Montgomery Co., N. Y. Child of Jane Van Liew and Abraham Baird: (1) Ida Elizabeth Baird, b. Jan. 12, 1855; d. May 22, 1865.

32. Ida Adaline, b. Aug. 23, 1835; m. Lyman Morley.

33. Agnes, b. Mar. 16, 1839; m., Oct. 28, 1868, William Hull, of Lysander. They were m. at Syracuse. Children: (1) Lucy Rosette Hull, b. Mar. 16, 1868. (2) Van Liew Hull, b. Sep. 12, 1869.

Children of Cornelius Van Liew (14) and Maria Hulse:

34. Maria, b. Sep. 11, 1851.
35. Sarah, b. May 29, 1854.
36. Ella, b. Oct. 28, 1863.

Children of Simon Van Liew (15) and Elizabeth S. Bergen:

37. Frederick, b. Mar. 14, 1849.
38. Joanna, b. Dec. 5, 1850.

Children of Cornelius Denice Van Liew (19) and Catherine Van Sant:

39. Sarah Louisa, b. Sep. 3, 1845; d. Dec. 17, 1859, of typhoid fever.
40. Cornelius, b. Mar. 17, 1848; m., April, 1870, ——— Rhino.
41. Henry DeMott, b. Feb. 27, 1849; d. Feb. 7, 1853.
42. Hannah Maria, b. May 2, 1851; d. Aug. 2, 1859.
43. Emma, b. Feb. 24, 1854.
44. Ida Elizabeth, b. Mar. 30, 1855.

Child of Laurence Van Liew (20) and His Second Wife, Margaret Brokaw:

45. William B., b. May 26, 1859.

Children of John C. Van Llew (23) and Mary Polhemus:

46. Daniel H., b. Jan. 4, 1857.
47. Cornelius W., b. Mar. 5, 1859.
48. Maria, b. July 30, 1861.

Children of William Van Liew (24) and Mary Elizabeth Young:

49. John, b. July 18, 1859.
50. Anna, b. Jan. 13, 1862.
51. Ida Caroline, b. June 7, 1864.

Child of Cornelius Van Liew (28) and Nancy Verity:

52. Frederick, b. Apr. 27, 1859.

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FAMILY OF PETER CLAESON, ANCESTOR OF ALL THE WYCKOFFS

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[NOTE BY EDITOR.—Beginning with the July, 1913, QUARTERLY, we published in twelve instalments a large number of the descendants of Peter Claesen, head of the Wyckoff, Wikoff, etc., family in this country. As that article did not go into full particulars of Peter and his immediate family, we now give room for such, also for a statement of Peter's possible ancestry, as found in an interesting address delivered before the Baird-Wyckoff Association, at the old Tennent church near Freehold on August 28th last, by Mr. Jacob Wyckoff, formerly of Middlebush but now of New Brunswick.

Particular notice should be taken of the fact that through this Peter Claesen various important Somerset families of other surnames are derived, viz., directly, those of the Van Arsdale, Romeyn and Kinny families and, collaterally, some lines of the Montfort, Schenck, etc., families].

BEFORE SPEAKING of the immediate family of Peter Claesen, the common father of all the Wyckoffs, we will run briefly over his antecedents, especially for a couple of generations, and his brothers and sister of whom we know, as this knowledge has a bearing on his own immediate family.

"Peter Claesen" means "Peter, son of Claes," or "Peter, son of Nicholas," if fully given. So we know his father's name was Claes, or Nicholas, and Mr. William F. Wyckoff has found in his researches that the father's name was "Claes Cornelissen," which in turn means "Claes, son of Cornelis." So we find the grandfather of Peter Claesen was named "Cornelis."

In these former days there were no family names in Holland, at least among the common people, and everybody simply went as "John, son of So-and-So," or "Mary, daughter of So-and-So," and it was not until records of families began to be kept by the State that the old method was found to be too confusing. The records could give no clue as to what John, or what Peter, or what Nicholas was indicated, and it was then that the State ordered the choosing of family names, and, as many kept the names exactly as they were then known, their descendants have come down to us as the Johnsons, the Petersons, the Jamesons, the Ryniersons, etc.

I have heard my father tell that a town-meeting was called at which everybody was to take a family name, and the same was to be publicly announced and recorded by the town clerk in a book for that purpose. One quiet old man came to the meeting and sat all day listening to the choosing of names, and, whenever the town clerk asked him what name he chose, he would only shrug his shoulders and say in Dutch, "Oh, well, I'm not particular." At last the day had passed; everybody had selected their names, had them recorded and gone away, and the hour for closing had

come. The town clerk turned to this man and asked him again somewhat impatiently what name he wanted, and still received the same answer, "Oh, I'm not particular." "Very well," said the clerk, "let it go so, then." And he wrote him down in the book in Dutch as "Mr. I'm-not-Particular." My father told me, then a boy, what the name was, as we now know it in English, but I have long since forgotten. I have asked Hollanders concerning it, but they told me they have no Dutch words expressing precisely that thought.

Mr. William F. Wyckoff has traced the ancestral line further back than I am giving it, back to A. D. 1390 surely, and has a probable guess reaching back still much further, but not a settled certainty. This is on the male side. It happens, however, that the first of record of whom we are sure was a man of sufficient parts to marry into the royal line, and through this marriage we go back through the kings of Denmark and of Rurik of Russia, to Rurik of Vasangian, of Baltic Sweden, of about A. D. 825, and through Harold II, Saxon King of England, slain at the battle of Hastings by William the Conqueror, we go back to Erik of Sweden, of about A. D. 800. Connecting also with William the Conqueror, who was a relative of Harold, whom he overthrew, our line of blood flows downward, with or through the incoming of the different houses of rulers to the Tudors, and the incoming of the house of Stuart; while in Russia the Royal line of Rurik continued until it ended with the death of Theodore in 1598, when a descendant of the house of German admixture, by name Michael Romanoff, came to the throne, and his family remained on the throne of the Russias until the recently deposed Czar.

Let us now return from this digression to the grandfather of Peter Claesen, viz:

Cornelis, who lived and died in Holland. I have no further record of this ancestor.

Claes Cornelissen, or "Claes, son of Cornelis," was born in Holland in 1597; married Margaret VanDerGoos, and started for America in October, 1636, on the ship "Rensselaer Wyck," but was obliged by storms and injury to the vessel to stop in England, and did not reach America until in March, 1637. His wife and one son, Peter Claesen, came with him. Peter was then a sturdy boy of twelve years, having been born in 1625. Whether there were other children then we have no record, but we learn of two born later in America, viz: a son, Gebrant, who later married Marretje Cos, and became the male ancestor of the Garrabrant family; and a daughter, Pieterje, who married Symen Jansen Van Arsdalen, and became the maternal ancestor of the Van Arsdales, the family name being brought into use at this time, as I have before related to you. Claes Cornelissen

bought land on Long Island, first where the City Hall of Brooklyn now stands, and later exchanging it or selling it, and buying other land about four miles inland from Coney Island, to get better land.

Peter Claesen, although only a boy of twelve, seems to have been under contract to work on an estate or large holding at Fort Orange (now Albany), and proceeded to that point in the same vessel that brought him across seas, arriving there in April, 1637. He remained there probably until after his marriage (about 1638) to Gretia, daughter of Hendrick Van Ness, a member of the council of Rensselaer Wyck. We soon after find him on Long Island, owning a farm at Flatlands (now within the precincts of Brooklyn) becoming well to do, and a magistrate of the Town Court of Flatlands, whence probably the name of Wyckoff originated, from the union of two words, viz: "Wijk," a ward or parish, and "hof," a court, whence would come Peter Wijkhof, or, translated, "Peter of the Town Court." The "ij" soon became changed into "y", from its close resemblance to that letter, as old documents seem to indicate.

We will now picture in our minds Peter Claesen and his wife Gretia by their old-fashioned fireside, and into that home and around the gradually-lengthening table children came one by one as follows:

1st. Margaret (sup.) b. in 1647.
2nd. Nicholas, b. in 1648.
3rd. Annatje, bapt. in 1650.
4th. Cornelius, b. in 1651.
5th. Mayken, bapt. in 1653.
6th. Hendrik, b. in 1654.
7th. Geertje, b. in 1656.
8th. Willemptje, b. in 1658.
9th. Martin, b. in 1660.
10th. Garret, b. in 1662.
11th. John, b. in 1665.

These eleven children in all, seem to complete the record, five girls and six boys, and covering a birth period of eighteen years; and, as the father was a man of staunch church principles, and the main support of the Flatlands church, being one of the wealthiest men on the island, we cannot doubt that his children were carefully instructed in those things "that make for righteousness." As the years went by—

Margaret, the eldest child, married Matthias Adamse Brouwer.

Nicholas, the oldest son, married Sara, daughter of Peter Montfort, and owned a large farm at Flatlands. He had six children, four sons and two daughters, and his descendants mostly moved later to Somerset and

Hunterdon counties in New Jersey, and from thence have spread southward and westward throughout our country.

Annatje, the second daughter, married, in 1675, Roelif Martinsen Schenck, and died about 1693, having lived on Long Island.

Cornelius, the second son, married his cousin, Gertrude Van Arsdale, daughter of his aunt Pieterje and Symon Van Arsdalen. He bought a large farm at Flatlands in Long Island, and, like his father, had eleven children, five girls and six boys. Later two of these sons came into possession of the homestead farm on Long Island, one of them being the ancestor of our present day historian of the family, William F. Wyckoff, Esq. This land now lies within the precincts of Brooklyn and is almost entirely built over. The other four sons of Cornelius settled on lands bought by their father in what is now Franklin township, in Somerset county, N. J., and stretching across the center of the township, as the first deeds read: "From a river called Millstone to the Indian Path." This path is now the county line and a part of the main highway from New York to Philadelphia. One of these four sons was the ancestor of Peter Wyckoff, of Wyckoff's Mills, who married Elizabeth Baird, both of whom we honor at these Baird-Wyckoff reunions, and was also the ancestor of myself. Cornelius died in 1746, at the great age of 95.

Mayken, the third daughter of Peter Claesen, married Willem Willemse, of Gravesend, L. I., and her descendants by her son John bear the name of Wyckoff, he having heired the estate of his uncle, Hendrick Wyckoff, by will from that uncle, who had no children, provided he would take the name of Wyckoff, which he did, and his descendants bear the name.

Hendrick, third son of Peter Claesen, married Helena ——— and had no children. He died in 1744, aged 90, leaving his farm on Long Island to his nephew John, son of Mayken Willemse, as stated above.

Geertje, named after her mother, was married, in 1678, to Christoffel Jans Romeyn, and became the mother of the entire Romeyn family. She died in 1711.

Willemptje, the fifth and youngest daughter, married Adrain Kinne, and became the mother of the Kinne family.

Martin, the fourth son, married Hannah Williams, of Flatlands, and had no sons.

Garret, the fifth son, married Catharine Johannes (i. e., Catharine, daughter of John) Nevius, and farmed on Long Island. He had two sons and five daughters. One son farmed on Long Island, and one moved to Monmouth county, New Jersey, where his descendants, many of them, live, and are represented here to-day. Rev. John H. Wyckoff, late missionary to India, deceased, is one of his descendants.

John, the last born child of the family, married Neeltje Couwenhoven, and, after farming a while on Long Island, removed to Monmouth county, New Jersey, purchasing a large farm there. He was an officer of the Brick Church at Marlborough, and assisted in founding this ancient church at Tennent, in which we are gathered to-day, numerous of his descendants connecting themselves with it, and later becoming an important factor in the history of the county during the Revolutionary days. Many of them are buried in the beautiful burial-grounds surrounding this church.

We find from this review of the family, the first of the name Wyckoff, that only four of the sons left children—i. e., left sons—to perpetuate the name, viz: Nicholas, Cornelius, Garret, John; except that Hendrick perpetuated it through his sister's son, John, son of Mayken. So, with this exception, of which we must of necessity make note, the family naturally divides itself into four great groups, and, once knowing the group to which we belong, the work of following up or down our line of descent is greatly assisted.

THE WILSON-HENRY FAMILY

FROM NOTES BY THE EDITOR

In the April, 1918, Quarterly (p. 98, etc.) there appeared "The Henry Family of Lamington." One of the daughters of David Henry was there stated to have married a Rev. Peter V. Wilson, but few facts were given of his family. Since that appeared a descendant, Mr. Charles Carroll Wilson, of Belvidere, has forwarded to us some facts, which are herewith given in a condensed form. Among other things they show that the late Dr. Joseph Hunt Wilson, of Somerville, belonged to the same Wilson stock; also, by marriage, Hon. George M. Shipman, of Belvidere.

Peter Wilson, Sr., born prior to 1720, or his father, came over from Scotland and is said to have settled, first, in Cecil County, Maryland, and then in Hunterdon County, N. J., in Amwell Township, some five miles from Lambertville. His wife was Hannah Vanoy (or Van Noy) of the same township, whose parents had come over from Holland. A Peter Wilson was an elder in the First Amwell Church in 1737, and there have been descendants of the Wilson name in East and West Amwell down to the present day, especially in what was once known as "The Wilson Settlement."

Peter Wilson, Sr., had eleven children: Francis, born 1740; Andrew, 1742; Haskill, 1746; James, 1748; Rev. Peter V., 1750; Katharine, 1753; John, 1756; Hannah, 1757; Sarah, 1760; Joseph, 1762; Elizabeth, 1764.

The Hannah above named married David Davis, and died in 1859, aged 102. Joseph married Charity Hunt and was the great-grandfather of the late Dr. Joseph Hunt Wilson, of Somerville, who was born at Washington, N. J. (See QUARTERLY, Vol. IV, p. 97). Andrew, born 1742 was a lawyer, but his place of practice is unknown. Two of the daughters of Peter, Sr., married persons by the name of Wilson, one a Mr. Carman and one a Mr. Mershon.

Rev. Peter Vanoy Wilson, son of Peter, Sr., was born 1750 in Amwell Township and died July 24, 1799, at Cincinnati, Ohio. He was graduated from the College of New Jersey (Princeton) in 1778. Where or how he was educated for the ministry does not appear, but he was licensed by the Presbytery of New Brunswick about 1785. About 1786 he married Catherine Henry, of near Lamington, Somerset County, daughter of David Henry and Mary Rosbrough. His first pastorate was over the Presbyterian Churches of Hackettstown and Mansfield, to which he was called September 27, 1786, at a salary of £110 sterling, doubtless through the recommendation of Rev. John Hanna, who had married into the McCrea family at Lamington and who had preached earlier in the same year at Hackettstown. Occasionally he acted as missionary preacher to outlying charges, one as far away as Shawnee, Pa. He remained at this charge for ten years, when, as seems probable, since his wife's sister, Mary, then deceased, who had married Col. John C. Symmes, had been living on the "Miami Purchase" near Cincinnati, he went West, and preached at the latter place, then called Fort Washington, as chaplain. Capt. William Henry Harrison, afterward the President of the United States, had married a daughter of Colonel Symmes, and another daughter had married Major Peyton Short, so that Rev. Mr. Wilson and his wife were in the midst of influential family connections.

At Fort Washington he had also previously purchased land (in 1795) from Col. Symmes, embracing 640 acres, the consideration ($426.66) stated in the deed to be "for debt due [to Wilson] from the United States." Again, in 1798, he purchased 100 acres from Symmes for "200 Spanish milled dollars," and at the same time his wife took a deed from Symmes for 200 acres for $200. As the city of Cincinnati came to be built later on these real estate holdings, the investments should have proved in time of immense value to Mr. Wilson's heirs, but comparatively little was realized from them when a final sale was effected, about the year 1813.

Just what year Mr. Wilson became pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Cincinnati is not stated, but probably about 1798; if so he had charge there only one year, when he died, after a short illness. His wife, Catherine Henry, died first, six weeks prior to his own decease. Both

were buried at the church and tablets to their memory were placed therein. In the obituary notice of him he is described as a man "mild, generous and upright;" "possessed in a high degree of the finer feelings and social virtues;" "generally beloved," and "an ornament to society."

After his death his small children were cared for at the home of William Henry Harrison, until Col. James Henry, of Lamington, Mr. Wilson's brother-in-law, went to Cincinnati and conveyed them to the Somerset relatives. They were five in number, from three to eleven years of age. Col. Henry carried the youngest, Catharine, on a pillow on horseback over a bridle path of 350 miles on the journey from Cincinnati to Lamington, and the others must have also ridden all the distance (about 700 miles) on horseback. One horse was lost and another injured in the long journey. There were no bridges and stopping-places were from 15 to 20 miles apart. After Mrs. Mary Henry, the grandmother, died in 1809, the children were cared for by their uncles, James Wilson, of near Trenton, Joseph Wilson, who married Charity Hunt, and Dr. Charles M. Graham in New York City, who married Ann Henry.

The children of Rev. Peter V. and Catherine Wilson were:

1. Robert Henry, born 1788; died 1839; married Harriet Exeum, aunt of "Patty" Ransom, wife of Governor Ransom of South Carolina. He studied medicine with his uncle, Dr. Graham, and died in Florida, leaving one child, Robert A., who married a McCoy and resided in Baltimore, Md.

2. Charles Rosebrook, born 1790; unmarried; died 1872. He resided with his uncle, James Wilson, near Trenton, N. J.

3. Joseph Van Noy, born 1792; died 1856; married May 4, 1815, Eliza Sherrerd, of Pleasant Valley, Warren County, N. J., (daughter of Samuel Sherrerd). He resided, first, at Pleasant Valley, and then removed to Stroudsburg, Pa., where he and his brother Charles kept a store. In 1838 both removed to Shawnee, Pa., where they had a mill and store, etc., until their respective deaths. The family resided at Shawnee until 1911, when the property passed out of their hands. They had 10 children, one of whom, Richard Duryea Wilson, was the father of Anna Louisa, wife of Hon. George Marshall Shipman, of Belvidere, of Joseph Howell Wilson, also a practicing lawyer of Belvidere, and of Charles Carroll Wilson, named at the beginning of this article.

In this connection it is of some interest to note that Judge George M. Shipman's daughter, Mrs. Margaret Wilson (Shipman) Jamison, has been engaged for several years in philanthropic work in connection with Settlements in Boston, Mass., and as a member of the Boston Dramatic Union in Pageantry work; also assisted in the production of the Newark

Pageant, 250th Anniversary of that City in 1915; and that Judge Shipman's son, Jehiel Gardner Shipman, of the law firm of Fort, Hunt & Shipman, at Newark, N. J., volunteered his services and is now 1st Lieut., 350 Field Artillery (serving in France), while George Marshall Shipman, Jr., is a senior law student at Harvard, though now engaged in service at Fore River Shipping Plant, Mass. Also that J. Stewart Wilson, who married Lydia H. Bray and is a brother of Joseph Howell Wilson, has two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Stewart (Wilson) Powers and Mrs. Mary Howell (Wilson) Cronan, of Boston, Mass., pioneers in the art of story-telling to children in this country, now engaged at the Boston Public Library and Schools in this line of work; formerly they were Kindergarteners and introduced and established Free Kindergartens at Dallas, Texas.

4. Mary Ann Churchill, born 1794; died 1872; married Richard Duryee, who resided at New York City, became Captain of the sailing vessel "Constantine," in which he made long voyages to China, etc., and was lost overboard at sea one day out from Liverpool in a severe storm, his wife and a son being passengers on the ship at the time. Their nephews and foster-son, Richard Duryea, married Susan, dau. of Joseph V. Wilson (above named), whose son, John Kip Duryee, now resides in New York City.

5. Catherine Matilda, born 1796; died 1854; married William Strader of ———.

6 and 7. Hannah and James, who died in infancy.

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Radin, James E. and Eliza Messler, Oct. 30, 1876 (Boswell).
Rae, James and Angeline Lower, Oct. 14, 1854 (Craven).
Rafferty, Hugh and Patty Finley, Dec. 16, 1807 (DeGroot).
Raino, John and Mary Halsey, May 26, 1817 (Fonde).
Raisierauer, Xavier and Maria Ringner, Oct. 22, 1856 (Messler).
Ralph, Aaron and Mary Venie, July 26, 1834 (Rodgers).
Ralph, Israel and Rodah Drake, Aug. 25, 1836 (Cox).
Ralph, Moses and Elizabeth Ludlow, Sept. 25, 1806 (Anderson).
Ramsay, Alexander and Christiana Clauson, Oct. 11, 1827 (Boggs).
Ramsay, Stephen and Sarah M. Lowe, Feb. 14, 1835 (Ludlow).
Ramsay, William Newton and Mary Vliet, Nov. 13, 1856 (Blauvelt).
Randall, Erastus and Ellen D. Vanderveer, Dec. 30, 1874 (Doolittle).
Randall, John and Charity Fulkerson, Oct. 24, 1839 (Rodgers).
Randall, William P. and Ann P. Blackwell, Oct. 21, 1834 (Rice).

Randolph, Asa Fitz and Rachel Vail, May 4, 1816 (Boggs).
Randolph, Asa R. and Gertrude Ann Conover, Jan. 11, 1843 (Van Doren).
Randolph, Benjamin and Sarah Granna Totten, Dec. 5, 1843 (Ludlow).
Randolph, David and Sarah Steel, Dec. 5, 1805 (Vredenburgh).
Randolph, Dr. Ephraim F. and Anna I. Scott, Nov. 14, 1815 (Cross).
Randolph, James F. and Elizabeth Pound, July 21, 1821 (Voorhees).
Randolph, Joel F. and Ellen Voorhees, Sept. 13, 1823 (Boggs).
Randolph, John S. and Mariah Boice, May 7, 1835 (Rodgers).
Randolph, Lewis and Mary Compton, May 24, 1828 (Cox).
Randolph, Stelle and Margaret Ann Smalley, Sept. 24, 1831 (Cox).
Randolph, Wm. W. and Angeline B. Drake, Oct. 18, 1856 (Rodgers).
Rankin, James A. and Rachel Ann Van Doren, Nov. 25, 1851 (Rankin).
Rankin, John and Catharine Van Duyne, Dec. 29, 1816 (Boggs).
Ransom, Stephen B. and Eliza W. Hunt, July 16, 1856 (Snyder).
Rappleye, Cornelius and Sarah Mariah Fisher, Mar. 1, 1827 (Van Kleek).
Rappleyea, Jacob and Ann Combs, April 27, 1815 (Fonde).
Rappleyea, Jerome and Jane Voorhees, Dec. 1, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Rarick, David and Susan A. Cox, Feb. 23, 1859 (Crater).
Rarick, Elias W. and Eliza Flomerfelt, Jan. 7, 1864 (Thompson).
Raulston, John S. and Jane Van Middlesworth, Dec. 1, 1844 (Messler).
Ray, John and Elizabeth Morse, Nov. 24, 1870 (Rodgers).
Raymond, T. Oscar and Annie L. Smith, May 19, 1870 (Rodgers).
Reading, James N. and Celia Southard, Feb. 10, 1835 (Messler).
Reading, Nicholas G. and Sophia Attwood, Jan. 9, 1813 (Cross).
Reamer, Isaac and Catharine McCord, Oct. 24, 1848 (English).
Redfield, Sidney and Clara Sofield, Aug. 31, 1863 (Searles).
Redford, George and Alice Parkinson, Jan. 8, 1853 (English).
Reed, Andrew and Jane G. Ganse, Jan. 29, 1852 (Romeyn).
Reed, Charles and Mary Ann Skillman, Jan. 16, 1840 (Ludlow).
Reed, David and Hannah Weaver, Aug. 21, 1827 (Labagh).
Reed, Edward L. and Rachel S. Quick, Dec. 14, 1836 (Ludlow).
Reed, James and Catherine Gould, June 14, 1858 (Rodgers).
Reed, John and Mary Burnhart, Jan. 24, 1826 (Ludlow).
Reed, Lanning and Mary Ann Brokaw, Jan. 7, 1847 (Chambers).
Reed, Lew and Sarah M. Nevius, Oct. 15, 1846 (Ludlow).
Reed, Noah and Mary Goltra, Oct. 7, 1848 (Rodgers).
Reed, William and Catharine W. Polhemus, Jan. 8, 1868 (Mesick).
Reed, William S. and Mary Ann Aller, March 18, 1865 (Mesick).
Reeder, Daniel D. and Lavina Boylan, Jan. 24, 1833 (Kirkpatrick).
Reemer, Benjamin and Deborah Ward, Aug. 30, 1805 (Schureman).
Reemer, John and Ann Jenkins, Oct. 15, 1826 (Van Kleek).
Reeve, Jonas W. and Hannah W. Johnson, March 22, 1848 (Harris).
Reeve, Walter S. and Elizabeth Hand, April 10, 1849 (Harris).
Regenarvew, Michael and Mary Dewolle, Jan. 4, 1863 (Gardner).
Regar, Elisha Edsall and Mary Elizabeth Quimby, Jan. 14, 1864 (Thompson).
Reger, George W. and Christina Vanderveer, Feb. 11, 1874 (Doolittle).
Reger, John R. and Elizabeth A. Meyers, Apr. 21, 1870 (Pitcher).

Reid, Lyman N. and Emma S. Sutphen, Feb. 20, 1878 (Hart).
Remer, Bryan and Eliza Cane, Sept. 29, 1821 (Boggs).
Remer, Peter and Jane Van Ostran, April 20, 1816 (Galpin).
Remsen, William H. and Henrietta Lane, May 19, 1853 (Rodgers).
Renden, Charles and Lenah Balune, May 19, 1860 (Ludlow).
Renliffen, Lawrence and Sarah Van Nest, Oct. 19, 1820 (Zabriskie).
Reumshusetel, Henry and Catharine Geipselhart, Apr. 5, 1860 (Neef).
Reivact, Martin and Mary Elizabeth Hagaman, Nov. 27, 1856 (Blauvelt).
Reynolds, Henry and Julia N. Struck, June 13, 1849 (Ballard).
Reynolds, Ira C. and Catharine Dunham, Dec. 2, 1857 (English).
Reynolds, John and Catharine T. Emmons, Sept. 26, 1860 (Thompson).
Rhinelander, John R. and Julia Stockton, March 27, 1834 (Rice).
Ribell, Jacob and Esther Moore, March 16, 1816 (Galpin).
Rice, Andrew J. and Cemma Dilley, Oct. 3, 1875 (Parry).
Rich, Edward and Rachel Ann Agen, May 16, 1845 (Cox).
Richard, ——— and Hannah ———, April 18, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Richard, John and Harriet Brown, March 25, 1826 (Fisher).
Richards, Jeremiah and Mary Caroline Bush, June 25, 1859 (Rodgers).
Richards, John and Elizabeth Clarke, July 18, 1835 (Rodgers).
Richards, Joseph and Elizabeth Bulmer, May 18, 1853 (Rodgers).
Richards, Thomas and Catharine Coddington, Nov. 6, 1830 (Collins).
Richards, William and Elizabeth DeGroot, June 13, 1863 (Rodgers).
Richardson, Daniel and Caroline Smith, Sept. 20, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Richardson, Jonathan Smith and Lydia Ann Auten, Jan. 13, 1856 (Snyder).
Richardson, Joseph and Ruth Dennistori, Jan. 23, 1799 (Snowden).
Richardson, Joseph N. and Maggie F. Randolph, Jan. 9, 1869 (Doolittle).
Richardson, William and Eliza Clarkson, Jan. 28, 1846 (Badgley).
Richardson, Nathan B. and Catherine G. Dunham, Nov. 4, 1858 (Lockwood).
Richey, James and Cornelia Williamson, Sept. 2, 1845 (Messler).
Richie, John (Col'd) and Caroline Miller (Col'd), Sept. 11, 1875 (Baldwin).
Rickerley, John and Frances Boach, Nov. 4, 1874 (Messler).
Rickert, Peter and Barbara Shrop, Oct. 5, 1859 (Neef).
Rickey, Israel and Phebe Ayers, June 16, 1818 (Brownlee).
Rickey, John and Anne Sweezy, Oct. 29, 1795 (Finley).
Rickey, Peter and Lucinda Breese, Feb. 15, 1821 (Brownlee).
Rickley, Charles and Ellen Sharp, Oct. 1, 1874 (Messler).
Riddley, John and Jane Eliza Reasoner, Feb. 2, 1861 (Romeyn).
Ridley, Samuel and Harriet Titus, Oct. 26, 1834 (Rice).
Rieger, John and Louisa Lenner, Jan. 1, 1864 (Messler).
Rigger, John and Sarah Tod, Aug. 31, 1805 (Schureman).
Riggs, Stephen and Phebe Roynor, April 23, 1809 (Finley).
Right, Matthew and Elsie A. Conklin, Aug. 25, 1860 (Campfield).
Rightmire, John and Margaret Goltry, March 11, 1824 (Watson).
Rightmire, John and Jane Ann Houghton, Nov. 9, 1859 (Romeyn).
Riley, Richard A. and Emily Galpin, Oct. 16, 1819 (Galpin).
Riley, Thomas and Jane Urmston, June 14, 1827 (Martin).
Rinearson, Abraham and Phebe Parish, April 1, 1820 (Vredenburgh).

Rineirson, William and M. Cruser, April 23, 1853 (Gardner).
Rinehart, Joseph E. and Louetta Crow, Jan. 12, 1870 (Carter).
Rink, Peter and Rachel Ann Sorter, June 3, 1853 (Romeyn).
Rinkman, William and Margaret Bell, Sept. 24, 1820 (Boggs).
Riser, John A. and Mary Wipert, May 13, 1871 (Rodgers).
Rively, George W. and Ellen Simons, Nov. 14, 1863 (Searles).
Robert, ——— and Dinah ———, Jan. 12, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Robert, ——— and Sarah E. Whittaker, Dec. 17, 1849 (Gardner).
Roberts, John and Margaret Adams, Dec. 24, 1842 (Beegle).
Roberts, John P. and Caroline Louisa Perrine, Dec. 15, 1866 (Carmichael).
Roberts, Thomas T. and Alletta Van Ness, April 8, 1840 (Cox).
Robbins, Albert C. and Sarah M. Opie, Nov. 5, 1851 (Gardner).
Robbins, Charles H. and Catharine M. Van Cleef, Oct. 4, 1863 (Gardner).
Robbins, Samuel and Rebecca Sutphin, Dec. 22, 1825 (Ludlow).
Robbins, Samuel B. and Abigail Van Liew, Nov. 23, 1842 (Ludlow).
Robeson, David and Mary Ann Van Dyke, July 2, 1842 (Schenck).
Robins, Shaffer H. and Cornelia Ann Van Doren, Nov. 6, 1865 (Messler).
Robinson, Charles and Catharine Babcock, Sept. 28, 1833 (Rice).
Robinson, J. L. and Sarah Drake, Jan. 27, 1848 (Gardner).
Robinson, James and Susan McCoy, Jan. 18, 1812 (Finley).
Robinson, John and Ann Leigh, June 25, 1800 (Snowden).
Robinson, John S. and Elizabeth Cavalier, June 15, 1826 (Zabriskie).
Robinson, Samuel (Col'd) and Josephine Davis (Col'd), Aug. 10, 1876 (Pool).
Robinson, Thomas Lewis and Louisa Weeks, Dec. 3, 1865 (LeFevre).
Robinson, William and Mary Christopher, Sept. 4, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Robinson, William and Ann Marwood, Aug. 21, 1850 (Gardner).
Robison, Gabriel and Sarah Fulkerson, Jan. 31, 1835 (Shultz).
Robison, John and Mary Jane Dailey, March 2, 1864 (Thompson).
Rockafeller, Christopher and Mary Voseler, Jan. 16, 1813 (Vredenburgh).
Rockafellow, Fred and Arian Powelson, Nov. 3, 1875 (Pool).
Rockafellow, George and Julia Ann Tunison, Nov. 25, 1840 (Messler).
Rockafellow, George and Cornelia Mollison, Apr. 25, 1872 (Rodgers).
Rockafellow, Goyn G. and Sarah Ann Hodge, Nov. 30, 1843 (Chambers).
Rockafellow, Jacob S. and Margaretta Sergeant, Dec. 20, 1843 (Messler).
Rockafellow, Jacob S. and Huldah C. Dow, Apr. 27, 1865 (Pike).
Rockafellow, John G. and Aletta Auten, March 25, 1852 (Messler).
Rockafellow, Joseph and Walberger Warkle, May 20, 1854 (Craven).
Rockafellow, Joseph C. and Mary Ann Van Patten, Nov. 16, 1833 (Ludlow).
Rockafellow, Wm. and Hannah Davis, Oct. 19, 1808 (DeGroot).
Rockerfeller, Solomon and Janetta B. Dale, Dec. 3, 1873 (Pitcher).
Rodenbaugh, John and Ellisa Voorhees, June 5, 1847 (Chambers).
Rodgers, H. H. and Alletta Peterson, Nov. 25, 1868 (LeFevre).
Rodgers, Miller and Elsey Demont, Feb. 28, 1856 (Snyder).
Rodgers, Theodore and Catharine Field, Sept. 12, 1860 (Blauvelt).
Rodman, John and Elizabeth Nevius, May 13, 1839 (Messler).

Roff, Elias P. and Caroline Woods, Nov. 10, 1853 (Rankin).
Roff, Israel and Abigail Smalley, Sept. 9, 1824 (Watson).
Roff, John and Sarah Leestre, Nov. 24, 1846 (Jennings).
Rogers, Andrew J. and Sarah Covert, Sept. 15, 1860 (Gardner).
Rogers, James H. B. and Lydia Kline, Dec. 20, 1874 (Mesick).
Rogers, John and Mary Conover, July 10, 1851 (Yard).
Rogers, John R. B. and Hannah Smith, Nov. 29, 1819 (Vredenburgh).
Rogers, Norman and Sarah Ann Hall, May 14, 1868 (Mesick).
Rogers, Prince and Dinah Hoagland, May 29, 1851 (Campbell).
Rohleder, Frank and Kate Mechel, May 27, 1876 (Schwali, Justice).
Rose, Cornelius and Catharine Crane, Jan. 7, 1819 (Brownlee).
Rose, Charles S. and Mary Ann Sleight, Dec. 9, 1855 (Brush).
Rose, Furman and Cornelia Teatsworth, Oct. 16, 1830 (Ludlow).
Rose, George and Mary Ann Johnson, Sept. 10, 1842 (Chambers).
Rose, George W. and Margaret E. Whitenack, Jan. 12, 1850 (Ludlow).
Rose, Isaac and Ann Teatsworth, Dec. 10, 1825 (Ludlow).
Rose, William and Delia Delance, Sept. 6, 1846 (Chambers).
Rosenkrantz, Charrick and Hetty Cox, Apr. 19, 1810 (Vredenburgh).
Ross, Caleb and Sarah Britton, Oct. 17, 1803 (Finley).
Ross, John K. and Isabella W. Pierce, Nov. 19, 1873 (Mesick).
Ross, Charles A. and Lydia Ann Vail, Dec. 1, 1840 (English).
Ross, Isaac and Agnes Bird, Dec. 1, 1869 (Doolittle).
Ross, James and Alletta Van Arsdalen, April 19, 1826 (Zabriskie).
Ross, James Patterson and Elizabeth Van Nostrand, May 7, 1840 (Rodgers).
Ross, John and Joanna Sebring, April 1, 1816 (Boggs).
Ross, John and Miss Terrell, Feb. 28, 1847 (English).
Ross, Jonas and Elsey Myrax, Dec. 5, 1832 (Cole).
Ross, Joseph and Phebe Talmage, Oct. 30, 1823 (Boggs).
Ross, Peter and Sarah Smith, Nov. 13, 1828 (Zabriskie).
Ross, William and Elizabeth Winsor, May 13, 1835 (Rodgers).
Ross, William, Jr., and Sarah Ann Cain, June 1, 1847 (Rodgers).
Rossell, Alfred V. and Sophia A. Tunison, Aug. 20, 1866 (Pitcher).
Roth, Adolph and Henriette Zuttlemayer, May 22, 1860 (Neef).
Roth, Richard and Margaret Burke, Nov. 10, 1856 (Van Doren).
Rousenberger, George and Fredericka Vite, June 8, 1857 (Mesick).
Rouser, Elijah C. and Maria Bergen, July 9, 1844 (Rodgers).
Rouser, Nicholas L. and Sarah S. Voorhees, April 23, 1855 (Messler).
Rouser, Nelson and Mary B. Voorhees, Oct. 22, 1873 (Messler).
Rowan, J. Martin and Susie Jane Simonson, June 6, 1860 (LeFevre).
Rowe, Philip and Jane Johnson, Jan. 26, 1815 (Galpin).
Rowe, Richard and Lavinia Sutphin, Feb. 9, 1800 (Snowden).
Rower, John and Elizabeth Hayley, Jan. 7, 1798 (Snowden).
Rowland, John Herman and Mary Ann Frys, Aug. 30, 1875 (Rowland).
Rowland, Nelson B. and Carth A. Conaway, Dec. 1, 1869 (Thompson).
Rowland, Peter and Sarah Bound, May 11, 1822 (Ludlow).
Rowland, Peter F. and Ann Elizabeth Bellis, Oct. 25, 1855 (Mesick).
Rowland, Rynear and Abby Rebecca Abbot, Oct. 22, 1831 (Ludlow).
Ruckman, John and Mary Isabella Bohennan, July 22, 1852 (Messler).
Ruckman, Wm. Henry and Mary Ann Bryan, Sept. 27, 1875 (Rowland).

Rue, Henry C. and Susie A. Skinner, Dec. 17, 1868 (Dutcher).
Rue, James and Ann Castner, Feb. 4, 1835 (Cox).
Rue, Jonathan and Siche Boice, June 24, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Rue, Joseph S. and Judith Lane, Feb. 8, 1855 (Brush).
Runk, George W. and Elizabeth S. Brokaw, Oct. 29, 1857 (Rodgers).
Runk, Isaac K. and Harriet S. Force, Sept. 17, 1870 (Mesick).
Runkle, Isaac R. and Ann Bennett, Aug. 14, 1834 (Zabriskie).
Runyon, Abel and Catherine Manning, Feb. 18, 1819 (Dodge).
Runyon, Abraham and Mary Runyon, June 4, 1820 (Brownlee).
Runyon, Benjamin and Joanna Harriot, Feb. 1, 1823 (Boggs).
Runyon, Benjamin and Jane Runyon, Nov. 17, 1855 (Rodgers).
Runyon, David and Hester Ross, Jan. 28, 1818 (Boggs).
Runyon, David and Lizzie V. Judd, March 24, 1867 (LeFevre).
Runyon, Ephraim and Gertrude Holton, Sept. 11, 1819 (Dodge).
Runyon, Ephraim and Margaret Van Tile, Oct. 30, 1841 (Rodgers).
Runyon, Francis and Margaret Parsells, May 21, 1829 (Cox).
Runyon, Francis and Clarissa Cross, Jan. 21, 1851 (English).
Runyon, Isaac S. and Rachel Stelle, Oct. 25, 1843 (Cox).
Runyon, Jeptha S. and Ellie V. Field, Sept. 9, 1863 (Rodgers).
Runyon, John and Jemima Jabateau, Dec. 6, 1795 (Ewing).
Runyon, John M. and Catharine Whitenack, Dec. 21, 1843 (Ludlow).
Runyon, Kinson and Leene Berline, March 11, 1816 (Fonde).
Runyon, Lewis and Margaret E. Case, May 1, 1851 (English).
Runyon, Lilran and Mary Tunison, Dec. 31, 1856 (Ludlow).
Runyon, Richard and Catharine Churchwood, Jan. 25, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Runyon, Samuel and Caroline Rittenhouse, Aug. 26, 1854 (Carrell).
Runyon, Thomas and Hannah Steine, Dec. 20, 1801 (Schureman).
Rupert, Frederick and Elizabeth Dix, Jan. 2, 1877 (McWilliam).
Rurhsam, Frederick and Rosine Schmidt, Aug. 26, 1854 (Craven).
Rush, Fernando and Harriet N. Norris, Oct. 28, 1860 (Rankin).
Russell, Hall (Col'd) and Anna Mitchell (Col'd), Dec. 26, 1874 (Dutcher).
Russell, John R. and Mary Ann Beekman, Jan. 5, 1848 (Ludlow).
Rutman, Joseph and Mary Alward, Nov. 27, 1800 (Finley).
Ryall, Samuel and Jemima Cole, Oct. 16, 1813 (Hardenbergh).
Ryall, William and Margaret Ann Stration, Aug. 7, 1856 (Quimby).
Rynearson, Aaron and Hannah Bowman, Feb. 6, 1806 (Thelly).
Rynearson, Barret and Mary Brewer, Jan. 20, 1810 (Studdiford).
Rynearson, Erastus and Ellen M. Winn, Jan. 10, 1866 (Rankin)
Rynearson, John P. and Hannah W. Runyon, March 9, 1853 (Cornell).
Rynearson, William and Ellen Staats, Dec. 27, 1844 (Gardner).

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EARLY RECORDED WILLS IN SOMERSET—FROM 1804

EARLY RECORDS IN SURROGATE'S OFFICE

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COULTHAR, ALEXANDER, of Bridgewater twsp. Dated Jan. 22, 1807. Probat. Jan. 28, 1811. Names wife, Margaret; sons, John, Joseph and Lafferd Waldron; dau. Margaret. Executors—sons Joseph and Lafferd Waldron. Witnesses—James, Ellen and Joseph McCain. (A, p. 265).

BUSH, JOHN, of Bridgewater twsp. Dated May 1, 1801. Probat. Feb. 16, 1811. Names wife Hannah; sons, Abraham, Peter, Alpheus, Ephraim, Daniel, Cornelius and Isaac (deceased); daus., Elizabeth (wife of Isaac Bilyeu), Hannah (wife of Thomas Hunston); grandch., Alpheus Coon, David Bush, Hannah (wife of Willam Worth). Executors—Daniel Bush and son Abraham. Witnesses—Peter Chandler, Cornelius Sebring, Alexander Coulthar. (A, p. 267).

SKILLMAN, BENJAMIN, of Franklin twsp. (Signed name "Skilman"). Dated Apr. 22, 1807. Probat. May 11, 1811. Names sons, Abraham (deceased), John, Benjamin, Isaac; Abraham's children, viz., Nancy, Gitty, Idah. Executors—son, Thomas, and James Stryker. Witnesses—Cornelius Simonson, Garret Nevius, Jacob Van Doren. (A, p. 268).

BLAW, PETER, Sr., of Franklin twsp. Dated Jan. 25, 1810. Probat. Mar. 21, 1811. Names sons Hendrick, John, Abraham; daus., Hettie, Stintye. Executors—son, John, and Frederick Probasco. Witnesses—Richard Garritson, Peter Van Zandt. (A, p. 270).

DOTY, JOSEPH, of Bridgewater twsp. Dated Jan. 10, 1811. Probat. Mar. 25, 1811. Names sons, Tobias Hall, Jonathan and Joseph (all minors; Jonathan to be sent to college and to "study divinity if it should please the Lord to give him a heart inclining thereto"); daus., Ann and Elizabeth; deceased wife, Elizabeth (evidently dau. of John and Mary Allen); Richard Allen (brother of John Allen). Executors—Dickinson Miller, Samuel Swan, Thomas Talmage. Witnesses—Abel Stewart, Stephen P. Stryker, Isaac Auten. (A, p. 271).

NEVIUS, JAMES, of Montgomery twsp. Dated Mar. 11, 1809. Probat. Mar. 29, 1811. Names wife, Leah; sisters' sons, Jacob Kershow, Peter Voorhees, Peter Sutphin, John Sutphin. Executors—wife, Leah, and Capt. Van Zandt. Witnesses—John Reeve, Abraham Stryker, Jr., Owke Voorhees, Ann Reeve. (A, p. 274).

HILL, EDWARD, of Bernards twsp. Dated Feb. 5, 1810. Codicil dated Mar. 1, 1810. Probat. Apr. 17, 1811. Names brother, John, and

his son, Edward; brother Thomas and his sons, Thomas, James and Edward, and their sister Nancy; Deborah Alward (wife of Jonathan Alward); sister Margaret (wife of James Jerolaman); niece, Hannah Hill; also mentions Margaret Maloy and Nancy Philips. Executors—John Annin, Edward Hill, Thomas Teasdale. Witnesses—Samuel Ayers, Moses Ayers, Matthew Woodward. (A, p. 277).

Appleman, Elisabeth (signed "Appolman"), of Somerset Co. Dated Apr. 11, 1810. Probat. April 20, 1811. Names dau. Catherine; grandson, Tunis (son of Jacob Hoppock), and sister of Tunis (not named). Executor—David Kelly, Esq. Witnesses—James Todd, Thomas Neilor. (A, p. 280).

Harris, Benjamin, of Middle Brook. Dated Oct. 20, 1809. Codicil dated Dec. 5, 1810. Probat. Apr. 24, 1811. Names Eve Bole (for services rendered); sons Benjamin and Morris; dau. (not named, but married); wife (not named). Executors—Dr. Samuel Swan, Andrew Howell, son Morris. Witnesses to will—Jon't Ford Morris, John Shephard, Elisha Shepard; to codicil—Joseph McCain, John Voorhees, Sam'l Merlett. (A, p. 281).

Ten Eick, Andries T., of Bridgewater twsp. Dated June 11, 1807. Probat. May 27, 1811. Names wife, Elizabeth; sons, Cornelius, Matthias, George, Andries; daus., Elizabeth (wife of Henry Cowert), Phebe (wife of Cornelius Terhune), Margaret, Nelly; grandson, Cornelius (son of dau., Margaret). Executors—Cornelius Vanderveer, and son Cornelius Ten Eyck. Witnesses—Richard T. Hall, Benj'n Bullock, Peter D. Vroom. (A, p. 284).

Kelly, William, of Somerset co. Dated April 29, 1811. Probat. May 29, 1811. Names wife, Mary; sons, Charles and Smith; daus., Mary Toms and Susan Ann. Executors—David Kelly, Esq., Zaccheus Kelly. Witnesses—John A. Auten, Jacob Steel, Hannah Auten. (A, p. 287).

Van Cleef, John, of Six-Mile Run. Dated June 30, 1808. Probat. May 30, 1811. Names son, John; daus., Rebecca, Sarah and Johannah. Executors—sons-in-law, George Wyckoff, John Wyckoff and Abraham DeHart, and son John Van Cleef. Witnesses—Adrian Hageman, Benjamin Hageman, Peter Stryker. (A, p. 289).

Coshun, Joseph, of Hillsborough twsp. Dated June 21, 1810. Probat. June 1, 1811. Names sons, John, Joshua, Peter; daus., Charity, Anne, Catherine. Executors—sons Joshua and Peter; sons-in-law, Abram Whitenack, Daniel Jessep, Rynear Staats. Witnesses—John Vanderipe, Peter S. Van Derveer, Abram Van Vleet. (A, p. 290).

Van Dorn, Guisbert, of Bedminster twsp. Dated July 30, 1807. Probat. June 24, 1811. Names wife, Pheby; children of Benjamin Beach,

of Mendham. Executors—wife, Pheby, and Benjamin Beach. Witnesses—David Nevius, Robert Herriot, Lucas Messler. (A, p. 293).

KELSEY, ENOS, of Princeton. Dated Oct. 8, 1810. Codicils dated Oct. 8, 1810, and Oct. 29, 1810. Probat. July 1, 1811. Names wife, Elizabeth; brother-in-law, Rev. John Davenport. Executrix—wife; if deceased, Richard Stockton. Witnesses to will—Richard Stockton, John Maclean, Phebe Maclean; to codicils—Rh. Sansbury, Peter Bogart, Polly Smith, Ann Bogart. (A, p. 294).

STEPHENS, JOSEPH, of Bridgewater twsp. Dated May 8, 1806. Probat. July 10, 1811. Names sons, Henry and John; daus., Margaret (wife of Dennis Stryker), Amelia (wife of Abraham Van Vliet), Catherine (wife of John Pippinger). Executors—sons, Henry and John. Witnesses—Abraham Willson, Nathaniel Ballard, Nich's Williamson. (A, p. 297).

VAN DIKE, FREDERICK, of City of New Brunswick. Dated April 13, 1811. Probat. July 18, 1811. Names wife, Lydia; sons James C., Augustus and John (latter mentally deranged); daus., Lydia and Rachel. Executor—son, James C. Witnesses—William Lupp, Jos. Van Derveer, Rob't Boggs. (A, p. 300).

CONDICT, IRA, of Middlesex county. No date. Codicils dated June 1, 1811. Probat. July 18, 1811. Names wife, Sarah; son, Daniel; daus., Abigail, Ruth, Sarah. Executors—wife, Sarah, and her brother, Mathew Lake Perine. Witnesses to will—David Schureman, Jas. Schureman, John Schureman; to codicil—John Bray, Chas. Smith, Cornelius E. Ver Muel. (A, p. 302).

VANDYKE, JOHN, of Montgomery twsp. Dated May 31, 1811. Probat. Aug. 8, 1811. Names sons, Rulif and John (deceased); daus., Margaret (wife of Abram Houten), Catherine, Anne, Rebecca, Elizabeth (wife of Benjamin Gulick), and Sarah; grandch. (children of son, John), John, Alexander, James and Rebecca; granddau., Nancy Ann (dau. of dau. Anne); father, Rulif Van Dike (deceased). Executors—son, Rulif, and son-in-law, Abner Houten, and Abraham V. Arsdal, Esq. Witnesses—James Stryker, Martin Voorhees, William Pattison. (A, p. 307).

VANTUYL, ABRAHAM, of Bernards twsp. Dated May 24, 1811. Probat. Aug. 10, 1811. Names sisters, Margaret Van Tuyle, Nelly Harpending, Sarah Bolmere, Emmy Goltry; children of brother Isaac; children of sister Mary Sebring, and of sister Elizabeth Grant; children of sister Catherine Coon, viz., Charity Bird, Margaret Giddis, Thomas, Abraham and William; brother, Otto Van Tuyle. Executors—bro., Otto Van Tuyle and friend Oliver Goltry. Witnesses—Hugh McEowen, Esther Adams, Charles Adams.

VOORHEES, ROELOFF, of Somerset co. Dated Jan. 3, 1811. Probat. Aug. 15, 1811. Names brothers, Garret and Peter, and their sons, Roeloff

and Minne; Emundus and Eloner, ch. of brother Minne; sister Anne and her son, Roeloff Voorhees; sister Eloner; sister Catiline's sons, Garret and Abraham Van Doren; Mary Voorhees (dau. of James S. Cannon); Ruloff (son of Isaac Sutphin); Abraham (son of Lawrence Suydam). Executors—brothers, Garret and Peter. Witnesses—David Nevius, John Garritson, Peter Stothoff. (A, p. 311).

Van Doren, Jacob, of Bernards twsp. Dated Sept. 12, 1810. Probat. Sept. 21, 1811. Names sons John and Jacob; daus., Aully Logan, Elizabeth Annin, Mary and Phebe (widow of Samuel Lewis). Executors—son, Jacob and son-in-law, John Annin; if either refuse, then friend, Andrew Howell. Witnesses—Thomas King, John Parsils, Samuel Ayres. (A, p. 314).

Lane, Susanah, of Montgomery twsp. Dated Feb. 24, 1810. Probat. Sept. 26, 1811. Names son, Ralph; daus., Anne Schenck, Susanna Collins (dec'd) and Peggy Bogart; grandson, Ralph Lane; grandson, Ralph Collins (son of William Collins and Susanna); granddau., Susannah Lane. Executors—Peter Updike and Jacob Sartore. Witnesses—William Updike, Jr., John Savidge, Jos. H. Skelton. (A, p. 317).

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1819.

Aug. 1. Ten Eycke, Jacob and Jane Middlesworth—Jacob. (B. Mar. 27).

13. ——— and Jane Robbins—William Hogland. (B. Feb. 8).

Sept. 4. Van Nostrand, Clarkson and Charity Ditmass—Catherine. (B. June 14).

Sutphin, John and Phebe Fusler [Vosseller]—John. (B. Aug. 25).

Oct. 12. Lattouratte, Stout and Margaret Schamp—Peter. (B. Apr. 28).

18. Biggs, George and Catherine Waldron—Elon. (B. Sept. 2).

Hogland, Harmon and Helena Striker—Harmon. (B. July 18).

Brocaw, William and Lenah Ditmass—William. (B. Sept. 14).

Nov. 7. Van Fleet, William and Agnes Monday—David. (B. Aug. 13).

14. Clickener, George and Anne Castner—Susan Ann. (B. Apr. 15).

[Parents not named]—Aaron Dawes. [Baptismal date uncertain].
Voorhees, Rulif and ———, Hannah. (B. June 9).
20. Smith, Lydia Stewart (wife of Amos)—John. (B. Apr. 7).

1820.

Jan. 16. Swackhamer, Rulif and Mary Schamp—Rulif. (B. Nov. 2, 1819).
Feb. 6. Van Camp, Tunis and Catharine Smith—Cornelia. (B. Nov. 13, 1819).
Van Deveer, John and Mariah Dayly—Ellen Jane. (B. Nov. 13, 1819).
13. Schamp, George D. and Ann Anderson—Henry. (B. Oct. 14, 1816); Martha Ann. (B. Sept. 9, 1819).
Schamp, Jacob D. and Sarah Cole—Lenah. (B. Sept. 4, 1819).
Mitchel, Ditmas and Sarah Mattis—Edward. (B. Oct. 2, 1819).
Quimby, Josiah, M. D., and Margaret Dayly—William Dayly. (B. Nov. 30, 1819).
Mar. 26. Ammerman, Henry and Mary Sutphen—Daniel. (B. Dec. 27, 1819).
Apr. 9. Vroom, Jacob and Ann Wyckoff—Elizabeth. (B. Jan. 17).
Dally, Hetty Smock (wife of Tunis)—Catharine. (B. Oct. 24, 1819).
23. Vroom, Peter and Sophia Ditmars—Jacob. (B. Mar. 11).
May 27. Post, Henry A. and Matty Anderson—Elizabeth. (B. Feb. 9).
Hall, Henry and Sarah Hall—Elizabeth. (B. June 16, 1819).
Van Camp, Thomas C. and Phebe Van Fleet—William. (B. Mar. 1).
Shirtes, Henry and Mary Kinney—Sarah Kinney. B. Oct. 15, 1819).
Schamp, David D. and Charity Cutter—Maria. (B. Jan. 8).
June 18. Hogland, Henry and Jane Bowers—Tunis A. Ten Eyck.
Aug. 13. Stout, Abraham P. and Margaret Hudnet—John Wyckoff. (B. July 6).
20. Ten Eyck, Jacob and Jane Middlesworth—Cornelius. (B. July 10).
27. Wyckoff, Albert and Hannah Schamp—Margret. (B. Apr. 28).
Sept. 3. Hogland, John and Phebe Simoson—Cornelius Simoson. (B. May 15).
Hall, William W. and Maria Bellis—Peter. (B. May 18).
Van Camp, John and Jane Lane—Jane Maria. (B. May 30).
Ten Eyck, Tunis and Rebecca Hummer—Jacob T. Ten Eyck. (B. Nov. 29, 1819).
Vosler, Jacob and Margaret Van Fleet—John. (B. Aug. 24). [Baptismal date uncertain].
17. Amerman, Daniel A. and Hannah Van Sickel—Eleanor Sudam. (B. Aug. 16).

Oct. 8. Cole, Tunis and Margaret Van Sickel—Tunis. (B. July 2).
14. Van Sickel, Mary. (Adult).
Studeford, Rev. Peter and Maria Van Horn—Phebe Eliza.
Stout, Richard and Elizabeth Van Nest—Jane Van Stay. (B. Aug. 28, 1819).
Saxion, Aaron L. and Jude Thompson—Sarah Ann. (B. Sept. 8).
Cole, Nicholus and Lavina Cole—Gitty Maria. (B. June 22).
Nov. 19. Ten Eyck, Abraham A. and Mary Schank—Arthur Schank. (B. Oct. 9).
Johnson, Abraham H. and Elizabeth Sutphin—John Sutphin. (B. Sept. 26).
Quimby, Josiah and Margaret Dally—Phebe Ann. (B. May 25).
Dec. 4. Berger, Jasper and Gitty Wyckoff—Jasper. (B. July 15).
Steevens, John and Rebeckah Mac Kinney—James Todd. (B. Oct. 16).

1821.

Feb. 11. Hall, Richard and Catharine Kline—Rachel Maria. B. Nov. 24, 1820).
Apr. 1. Nevieus, Dominicus and Johannah Stoothoff—Abraham Dumont. (B. Mar. 4).
15. Cole, Josiah and Margaret Low—Josiah. (B. Dec. 21, 1820).
Carkhuff, Catherine Cole (wife of Jacob Q.)—Catharine. (B. Jan. 23).
Cole, David and Agness Cutter—Ephraigm. (B. Oct. 9, 1820).
22. Van Middlesworth, Garret and Rebecca Van Cleef—Jane Perlee. (B. Feb. 20).
Wyckoff, Martin H. and Elizabeth Demott—Phebe. (B. Dec. 5, 1820).
May 27. Ammerman, James and Catharine Schank—Elizabeth. (B. Mar. 10).
Emens, Judy Low (wife of Gilbert L.)—Christopher Stryker. (B. Mar. 3).
June 2. Dally, Elizabeth Latterat (wife of William)—John. (B. Mar. 24).
Mitchel, John and Catharine Pittenger—Jane Frasure. (B. Apr. 13).
Luts, Frederic, Jr., and Sarah Cole—Eliza Ann. (B. Aug. 30, 1820).
Van Sickle, Andrew and Elener Melick—Andrew. (B. May 15, 1819); John Melick. (B. Dec. 13, 1820).
Breece, Fanny Row (wife of William)—William Van Fleet. (B. Feb. 13).
Kline, John J. and Eve Kinney—Andrew. (B. Feb. 5).
Alpaugh, Moris and Elizabeth Kinney—Elcy. (B. Dec. 11, 1820).
Foner, Christeen and ———, John. (B. July 26, 1820).
Pickles, Henry and Hannah Johnson—Jacob Kline. (B. Apr. 27). [Baptismal date uncertain].

24. Mattis, John and Martha Demott—Derrick. (B. Nov. 7, 1820).

July 22. Brokaw, Abraham and Catharine Brokaw—Caroline. (B. Mar. 2).

Aug. 26. Brokaw, John and Elizabeth Lane—Phebe. (B. July 17).

Hagaman, Andrew and Ann Hogland—Sarah. (B. July 13).

Oct. 20. Schamp, Peter and Welempy Voorhees. John. (B. June 7).

Cole, Abraham and Helena Schamp—Abraham. (B. May 7).

Nov. 4. Mitchel, Ditmars and Sarah Mattis—John Mattis. (B. Oct. 1).

25. Stout, Abraham P. and Margarett Hudnet—Eliza Lane. (B. Sept. 22).

Low, Jacob and Phebe Kershaw—John. (B. Aug. 30).

1822.

Jan. 4. Schamp, George P. and Mary Vusler—Tunis Cole. (B. Aug. 30, 1820).

Neveius, Peter and Maria Stoothoff—Cornelius Stoothoff. (B. Jan. 9, 1821?).

Mar. 17. Emens. Cornelius L. and Ann Dumont—Dorcus Dumont. (B. Nov. 11, 1820).

31. Vroom, Hendrick D. and Maria Beekman—Peter Quick. (B. Feb. 26).

Apr. 7. Lattarat, Garret and Hanah Thompson—Hanah Maria. (B. Jan. 29).

29. Bergin, Simon B. and Margret Dally—Cornelius. (B. Feb. 10).

Mar. 31. Quimby, Dr. Josiah and Margaret Dally—Catharine. (B. Nov. 3, 1821).

May 19. Post, Henry A. and Martha Anderson—George Anderson. (B. Mar. 13).

Voorhees, John and Mary Miler—Sarah Woodrough. (B. Apr. 6).

25. Hirl, William and Mary Vanallen—Catharine Maria. (B. Feb. 14).

Shirts, Henry and Mary Kinney—Mary Kinney. (B. Dec. 18, 1821).

Schamp, David D. and Charity Cutter—Susan. (B. Jan. 2).

Vlereabome, George and Margaret Van Fleet—Jane. (B. Mar. 25).

Brokaw, William and Lenah Ditmars—Charles Sudam. (B. Feb. 15).

Schamp, Peter G. and Catharine Kline—George. (B. Feb. 1).

Steavens, Henry and Sarah Van Derbilt—Hebron (or Hexeon). (B. Nov. 19, 1821).

Hogland. Harmon and Hellenah Stryker—Peter. (B. Dec. 23, 1821).

June 16. Ten Eyck, Cornelius and Ann Ten Eyck—Sarah Van Devare. (B. Mar. 18).

[Parents not named]—Sarah Dawes. (B. June 7). [Baptismal date uncertain].

23. Amerman, Abraham and Maria Mattis—Margaret Elen. (B. May 2).
Vroom, Michael D. and Leah Ten Eyck—Hendrick. (B. Apr. 23).

July 7. Vroom, Peter and Sophia Ditmars—Catharine. (B. May 13).
21. Lane, Andrew and Margaret Vansicel—Andrew. (B. May 5).
[Parents not named]—Elizabeth Smith. (B. Sept. 9, 1821).
28. Ditmars, William and Mary Brokaw—Peter. (B. Apr. 28).

Aug. 18. Vroom, Jacob and Ann Wyckoff—Jamima. (B. Dec. 15, 1821).
Van Camp, Tunis and Catharin Smith—Isaac Voorhees. (B. Feb. 26).

Sept. 15. Amerman, Daniel and Hannah Van Sickel—Abraham. (B. Aug. 9).

Oct. 13. Voorhees, Rulif and Mary Patterson—Mary Ann. (B. July 27).
11. Schamp, John P. and Mary Moorhead—Sarah Moorhead. (B. Feb. 17, 1818).
19. Biggs, George and Catharine Waldron—Abraham. (B. Sept. 14, 1821).
Clickenger, George and Ann Casner—Charles Sudam. (B. June 6).
Wyckoff, James and Mary Smith—Elizabeth Wyckoff. (B. Apr. 28, 1821).

Nov. 10. Van Nostrand, Clarkson and Gitty Ditmars—Easter. (B. June 6).
Sutphin, John P. and Catharine Vroom—Matthew. (B. July 27).
24. Wyckoff, Cornelius and Elizabeth Van Fleet—Ann Wyckoff. (B. Sept. 11, 1820).
Case, John and Elizabeth Van Fleet—Leah Van Fleet. (B. Aug. 26).

Dec. 12. Johnson, Abraham H. and Elizabeth Sutphin—Henry. (B. Oct. 30).

1823.

Feb. 2. Ten Eyck, Abraham A. and Mary Schank—Alette. (B. Dec. 20, 1822).
Amerman, James and Catharine Schank—Auther Schank. (B. Dec. 28, 1822).
9. Emons, Judy Low (wife of Gilbert L.)—Andrew. (B. Oct. 25, 1822).

Mar. 2. Van Middlesworth, Garrit and Rebecca Van Cleef—Tunis. (B. Dec. 24, 1822).
16. Berger, Jasper and Gitty Wyckoff—Elizabeth. (B. Nov. 16, 1822).

Apr. 13. Schamp, David P. and Easter Low—Catharine. (B. Sept. 12, 1820); Abraham Low. (B. Dec. 5, 1822).

May 4. Swackhamer, Rulif and Mary Schamp—Mary Rulifson. (B. Mar. 13).
10. Breece, Fany Row (wife of Henry)—Peter. (B. Feb.).

25. Kline, John J. and Eve Kinney—Peter Kinney. (B. Dec. 23, 1822).
Dally, Elizabeth Latouratte (wife of William)—Thomas Stout Latourette. (B. Oct. 31, 1822).
Alpaugh, Moris and Elizabeth Kinney—Andrew Kinney. (B. Apr. 1).

June 22. Van Sickel, Andrew and Elener Melick—Hannah Amerman. (B. Feb. 23).

July 6. Mesler, John and Ann Bergin—Allette. (B. May 21).
Thompson, John and Sarah Emens—John. (B. June 4).

13. Thompson, Andrew and Susan Lane—Peter. (B. Jan. 10).

Aug. 3. Hall, William and Mary Belis—Rebeccah. (B. Jan. 19).

30. Guild, John D. C. and Jane Mac Kinney—Reubin Dunham. (B. July 13).

Sept. 28. Cole, Abraham and Hellenah Schamp—Isaac. (B. Apr. 22).
Cole, David and Agnes Cutter—Levi. (B. July 29).

Oct. 24. Schamp, Mary Vusler (wife of George P.)—Henry Post. (B. Sept. 3).
Smith, Lydia Steward (wife of Amis)—Nancy Maria. (B. June 28).
Cole, Nicolas and Levinah Cole—Lenah. (B. Oct. 6, 1822).

Nov. 9. Wyckoff, Elizabeth Van Fleet (wife of Cor's)—Cornelius. (B. Aug. 11).

16. Kline, Peter and Mary Bowman—Elizabeth. (B. Sept. 3, 1820); Cornelius Bowman. (B. Sept. 1, 1822).

30. Mitchel, Ditmars and Sarah Mattis—Peter. (B. Aug. 15).

Dec. 14. Amerman, Henry and Mary Sutphin—John. (B. Sept. 26).

28. Vroom, Hendrick D. and Maria Beekman—Eliza. (B. Nov. 15).
Cole, Tunis and Margarett Van Sickle—Josiah. (B. Nov. 18).
Bigs, Catharine Waldron (widow of George)—Sarah Mary Bigs. (B. Nov. 1).

1824.

Mar. 28. Latourett, Garret and Hanah Thompson—Andrew Thompson. (B. Dec. 19, 1823).

Apr. 4. Williams, James and Margaret Van Deventer—Peter Gulic. (B. Feb. 11).

18. Davis, Bergen and Sarah Schamp—Sarah. (B. Nov. 23, 1823).
Vosler, Jacob and Margarett Van Fleet—Margarett. (B. Jan. 22, 1823). [Baptismal date uncertain].

25. Vroom, Jacob and Ann Wyckoff—Dennis. (B. Jan. 5).
Wyckoff, Tunis and Ann Voslar—Ann Elizer. (B. Mar. 5).
Amerman, William and Elizer Ann Schenck—Catharine Little. (B. Feb. 3).
Mattis, Garret and Catharine Hixson—Johannah. (B. Feb. 6).

May 2. Hall, Dennis and Mary Van Horn—Eliza.

15. Cicero, Emma (wife of James Spader).

Wyckoff, John and Leah Van Fleet—Martin. (B. Mar. 17).
June 13. Emmens, Gilbert L. and Judy Low—Elizabeth Low.
27. Cole, Josiah and Margarett Low—Bengamin Theadore. (B. Mar. 3).
Schamp, David D. and Charity Cutter—Henry. (B. Apr. 15).
July 4. Bergen, Simon and Margarett Dalley—Catharine Ann.
11. Mattis, John and Martha Demott—John. (B. Dec. 14, 1823).
18. Post, Henry A. and Matty Anderson—Peter Quick. (B. June 27).
Aug. 8. Schomp, Peter G. and Catharine Kline—Catharine Ann. (B. Apr. 29).
Hagamin, Andrew and Ann Hogland—Andrew. (B. June 27).
29. Carkhuff, Catharine Cole (wife of Jacob Q.)—Enoc. (B. May 10).
Brokaw, John and Elizabeth Lane—Cornelius. (B. July 19).
Cole, Henry and Hannah Cole—Sarah Mary. (B. Dec. 3, 1823).
Vroom, Michael D. and Leah Ten Eycke—Catharine Wyckoff. (B. July 31).
Sept. 19. Wyckoff, Albert and Hannah Schamp—Cornelius. (B. June 20).
26. Van Camp, Tunis and Catharine Smith—Jane. (B. Mar. 7).
Williamson, Cornelius and Catharine Deats—Matthew. (B. Mar. 14).
Oct. 2. Vansickle, Aron and Eleanor Orr—Rebecka. (B. Aug. 24).
Brocaw, Abraham and Catharine Brocaw—Jane. (B. July 19).
Hogland, Harmon and Hellena Stryker—Dennise Stryker. (B. Dec. 14, 1823).
Adults: Achsah, wife of Asher Painter; Catura, wife of Jacob Holcomb; Sophiah Van Doren, wife of John Moorhead.
Kershow, Margarett Brocaw (wife of Jacob)—Catharine.
10. Daley, Aletty Smock (wife of Tunis)—Hannah Maria. (B. June 21).
31. Corwine, George and Rachel Voslar—Abigail. (B. Sept. 16).
Nov. 7. Cox, Edward and Mariah Tinbrook—Clarissa Swan. (B. Sept. 10).

1825.

May 1. Ten Eycke, Abraham A. and Mary Schank—Sarah.
15. Ten Eycke, Cornelius A. and Mary Rhu—Eleanor. (B. Nov. 3, 1824).
29. Voslar, Jacob and Magarett Van Fleet—Sarah. (B. Apr. 26).
June 11. Hudnet, Sarah Thompson (wife of Elijah)—Josiah Ostin. (B. Mar. 4).
Morehead, John and Sophiah Vandoren—Sarah Ann. (B. Nov. 27, 1824).
Ammerman, Henry and Mary Sutphin—Henry. (B. May 12).

Alpah, Moris and Elizabeth Kinney—Margaret Kinney. (B. Sept. 14, 1824).
Shirts, Henry and Mariah Kinney—John.
Cole, Christopher and Mary Biggs—Sarah. (B. Apr. 24, 1820); Mary (born Apr. 23, 1822); Ann Gear Heart. (B. Oct. 24, 1824).
Dalny, Tunis. (Adult).
Kinney, Hannah Anderson (wife of Albert).
(?). Lane, Gilbert L. and Judith Lane—John G. Emmons. (B. Oct. 11).
19. Schamp, David P. and Easter Lowe—Jacob. (B. Apr. 4).
26. Swackhammer, John and Ann Ten Eycke—Cornelius Ten Eycke. (B. Jan. 1).
Amerman, James and Catharine Schenck—Abraham.
July 10. Johnson, Abraham H. and Elizabeth Sutphin—Guilbert Sutphin. (B. May 18).
Ammerman, Abraham A. and Mariah Mattis—Catharine Liddle. (B. May 21).
Aug. 14. Swackhammer, Rulif and Mary Schamp—Jacob Schamp. (B. May 20).
28. Thompson, John and Sarah Emmens—Elizabeth. (B. July 17).
Van Middlesworth, Garret and Rebecka Van Cleef—Peter Perlee Van Cleef. (B. June 21).
Sept. 9. Pickle, Henry and Hannah Johnson—John MacKinney. (B. Sept. 17, 1824).
11. Stout, Abraham P. and Margarett Hudnet—Abraham Paul. (B. Aug. 3).
25. Emmans, Cornelius L. and Ann Dumont—Catharine Baley.
Groenendicke, Daniel and Mary Tetsworth—Samuel. (B. Apr. 18).
May-Spader, Emma Cicero (wife of James V.)—Krosier Ten Brook. (B. Oct. 18, 1822).
Nov. 27. Low, Jacob and Phebe Kershow—Dennis. (B. Oct. 11).
Brocaw, Peter and Catharine Kershaw—Mariah Ann. (B. Oct. 16).
Parks, James and Mariah Bergen—States Nelson. (B. Sept. 6, 1824).
Dec. 11. Hill, Aaron and Eleanor Freeland—Jacob Monro. (B. Sept. 23, 1817).
18. Lane, Andrew and Margarett Vansickle—Aaron. (B. Mar. 5).

1826.

Jan. 22. Quick, Abraham and Ann Peterson—Cornelius Peterson. (B. Nov. 15, 1825).
Feb. 26. Nevius, Dominicus and Johannah Stoothoff—Gertrude. (B. Jan. 25).
19. Schamp, George A. and Catharine Wyckoff—Elizabeth. (B. Nov. 9, 1825).
Apr. 23. Mesler, John and Ann Bergin—Abraham. (B. Oct. 3, 1825).
Vorehase, John and Mary Miller—Eleanor. (B. Feb. 25).

Medler, Evi (Levi Metler) and Emma Baker—Ann Elizabeth. (B. Jan. 2).
Sutphin, John and Phebe Voslar—Elizabeth. (B. Dec. 4, 1825).
Wyckoff, Johan and Leah Vanfleet—Catharine. (B. Jan. 1).
Thompson, Andrew and Susanna Lane—William. (B. June 28, 1825).

Mar. 12. Vroom, Peter and Sophiah Ditmars—Peter Dumont. (B. Dec. 27, 1825).

Apr. 23. Lane, Aaron and Catharine Hammer—Cornelius. (B. Feb. 7).

May 14. Van Fleet, Abraham and Sarah Hall—Henry Switezer. (B. Nov. 11, 1825).

20. Vroom, Jacob and Ann Wyckoff—Jacob. (B. Jan. 5).
Ten Eycke, Cornelius and Ann Ten Eycke—John A. Ten Eycke. (B. Oct. 11, 1825).
Cole, Abraham and Hellenah Schamp—Isaiah. (B. June 1).
Cole, David O. and Agness Cutter—Susan Ann. (B. Mar. 3).

June 4. Quimby, Josiah and Margarett Daley—Josiah. (B. Feb. 15).
Hall, Dennis and Mariah Van Horn—Cornelius Van Horn. B. Feb. 13).

11. Mitchell, Ditmars and Sarah Mattis—Mary Jane. (B. Mar. 10).

Aug. 20. Medler, William and Elizabeth Voslar—George. (B. May 7).

Sept. 16. Latorett, Garret and Hannah Thompson—Peter. (B. Mar. 16).

Oct. 1. Herls, William and Mary Vanaulen—Ephraim Dunham. (B. Apr. 13).
Groendicke, Daniel and Mary Tetsworth—John. (B. June 25).

Dec. 22. Carkhuff, Catharine Cole (wife of Jacob Q.)—Jacob. (B. July 11).

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Apr. 22. Corwine, Richard and Gertrude Stotehuff—Hannah Catharine. (B. Feb. 12).
Quick, John and Elizabeth Bellis—William. (B. June 18, 1825); Rody Francis. (B. Jan. 27).

May 13. Ammerman, William and Elizer Ann Schenck—Hannah Elizabeth. (B. Feb. 21).
Corwine, George and Rachel Voslar—Mary. (B. Feb. 25).
Daley, Tunis and Aletty Smock—Cornelius Ammerman. (B. Mar. 8).
Rose, Isaac and Ann Tetesworth—Abraham. (B. Oct. 29, 1826).
Vanderveere, Michael and Ann Mariah Ten Eyck—Mary Jane. (B. Feb. 5).
Swackhammer, John and Ann Ten Eycke—Ruliff. (B. Nov. 21, 1826).
Hudnet, Sarah Thompson (wife of Elijah)—Elizabeth Thompson. (B. Dec. 5, 1826).

June 10. Morehead, John and Sophia Van Dorne—Hetty Maria. (B. Dec. 3, 1826).
Ten Eyck, Stephen and Mary Lane—Elizabeth. (B. Aug. 26, 1826).
Hickson, James and Maria B. Tuttle—Catharine Levinyea. (B. Apr. 17, 1826).
Voorhees, Cortland and Jane Vlerbome—Abraham. (B. Jan. 26, 1826).
Agans, Catharine (wife of Jesse)—Peter Kinney. (B. Sept. 5, 1826).
Kershow, Margaret Broon (wife of Jacob)—Elizabeth.
July 15. Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick—Lucretia. (B. May 28).
Dawes, Janney and Sarah Van Sickle—David. (B. Feb. 25).
Carkhuff, Enoch and Julia Ann Daily—Henry Bartow. (B. Feb. 2).
Aug. 25. Brokaw, Peter and Cath. Kershow—Jacob Kershow. (B. July 2).
Sept. 2. Vroom, Michael D. and Leah Ten Eyck—Leah. (B. Aug. 4).
9. Emmons, Gilbert L. and Judith Lowe—Catharine. (B. June 29).
16. Brokaw, John and Elizabeth Lane—Martha Maria. (B. May 18).
Oct. 20. ——— and Jane Wyckoff—Ellen. (B. June 27, 1826).
Spader, James V. and Emma C. Tenbrock—Isaac Voorhees. (B. Aug. 7).
Van Vleet, Aaron and Anne Lowe—John. (B. Dec. 7, 1826).
Daily, William and Elizabeth Latourette—Ann Hart. (B. Sept. 6, 1826).
Park, James and Maria Berger—Wm. Alexander. (B. Sept. 16, 1826).
Nov. 1. Vroom, John and Cornelia Cox—Sarah and Margaret. (B. July 18).
11. Ammerman, James and Catherine Schenck—Daniel. (B. Aug. 7).
Mettler, William and Eliza Vossler—John Vossler. (B. Sept. 22).
18. Writford, Mrs. (widow)—John Pittenger. (B. Mar. 30, 1819); Margaret Van Doren. (B. May 5, 1821); Charles. (B. Jan. 31, 1823).
Dec. 23. Lane, Aaron and Catharine Hummer—Aaron. (B. Nov. 12).

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HISTORICAL NOTES AND COMMENTS

BY THE EDITOR

The "Somerville Messenger" Ninety-two Years Ago

In the QUARTERLY for 1912 (Vol. I, p. 77), it was stated that in October, 1823, the first newspaper was published in Somerset County by James E. Gore, under the name of the "Political Intelligencer," which name was soon changed to the "Somerset Messenger and Political Intelligencer," and, about 1828, the latter designation was dropped. One authority for this was Snell's "Hist. of Hunt. and Som. Counties," (p. 606). It is true that the Rev. Dr. Messler has said in his "Centennial Hist. of Somerset" (p. 172), that Mr. Gore had published "The Intelligencer, or Political Intelligencer" "about 1814 or '15," but this had been unobserved by us in preparing the QUARTERLY note. He also stated that the "Messenger" was begun "as early as 1822." We have recently seen a notice of a copy of the "New Jersey Intelligencer," as printed and published by John C. Kelley at Somerville, the same bearing date June 8, 1815. So it would seem that a "New Jersey Intelligencer," not a *"Political Intelligencer,"* must have been published in Somerville in 1815. But there must also have come in between 1815 and 1823, when the "Messenger" began, a newspaper called the "Somerset County Advertiser," a mention of which we have not seen made. We so judge because there has now come into our hands a copy of a newspaper entitled "Somerville Messenger, and Somerset County Advertiser," of the date of Dec. 28, 1826. It is stated to be "Volume IV" and "No. 168." So it would seem to be an inference that there was a preceding "Somerset County Advertiser," which was subsequently merged into and with the "Somerville Messenger;" and it is certain that the first name of the "Messenger" was "Somerville Messenger" and not *"Somerset* Messenger." We wish the facts were all clear, but, as they appear above, it looks as if this were the order of things: First, Mr. Kelley first started in Somerville a newspaper which he called the "New Jersey Intelligencer;" this may have been in 1814 or '15. Second, he probably sold it to Mr. Gore. Third, Mr. Gore either changed its name to the "Somerset County Advertiser," or he started the latter independently. Fourth, in October, 1823, Mr. Gore began to print the "Somerville Messenger, and Somerset County Advertiser." Whether there was any break in the years between about 1814 and 1823 we do not now know. Fifth. About 1828 the subtitle "Somerset County Advertiser" probably disappeared. Just when "Somerville" was changed to "Somerset" does not appear. There being no known early files of the above-named newspapers in existence, it may be further or more exact facts can never be known.

The 1826 "Somerville Messenger" certainly indicates by its volume and number that it first appeared under that name in October, 1823, when it came out as "Volume I" and "No. 1."

This 1826 number is of four pages, each page 13x19 inches, five columns to the page. The first page is devoted wholly and the third page about one-half to advertisements; the rest is reading matter, including Congressional news, odds and ends of American and State news, miscellaneous, and a column of religious matter under the heading "The Moralist." The publisher announces that the publication is "near the Academy," and we know this was about where the Second National Bank now stands and quite opposite to the old Academy. The newspaper was to be "delivered to subscribers in the village, and by private post, at Two Dollars a year, payable half yearly." That county subscribers were slow in payments we learn from this notice:

"On Tuesday next the Court of Common Pleas will commence its January term in this village. We beg leave to jog the memories of those of our patrons who have left their accounts run for two or three years without settlement, and hope they will avail themselves of this opportunity to call and settle the same."

The Legislative proceedings were of no local interest, except that the announcement is made of the "appointment in Joint Meeting, Dec. 22" of Theodore Frelinghuysen as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, of William Todd as a Judge in Somerset, and of these Somerset "Commissioners:" Samuel Ayres, Arthur V. Sutphin, Elias Brown, W. D. Stewart. We have not discovered in it any other Somerset county items whatever (except marriages and advertisements), but, instead, such illuminating matters as these, for example:

"*Shocking Crime.*—At the late Term of Oyer and Terminer in Warren county, Mr. Adam Cool was fined $1 and costs, say 20 to 30 dollars, for wickedly and in violation of the import of his own name, *KISSING* Miss Catharine Berry without her consent. O times!—O manners!"

"*Old Bachelors.*—Mr. Reneau introduced a bill into the Legislature of Tennessee, by which it is made the duty of the Sheriff of each county to make an annual return of every man who shall have attained the age of thirty without marrying; and also of all his property, on which a tax of twenty-five per cent. is to be laid, and the fund thereby created by the provisions of the bill is to be divided among such unmarried ladies as have reached the age of twenty-five. The bill further provides that if any old bachelor suffers himself to be returned three times, he shall thenceforth be deemed incorrigible and the tax increased to fifty per cent. The bill passed with great unanimity the House of Representatives, but the House [Senate?] ordered it to lie on the table for thirty years!"

"The Legislature of Ohio at their last [session] passed a law taxing lawyers and physicians in a sum not less than five nor more than fifty dollars per head, as the Court of Common Pleas in each county in their own discretion might levy."

"Brutal Excess.—The Herkimer American states that on Monday week in that village a man upon a banter undertook to eat within an hour 100 round clams. They were to be roasted for him and he was to take them out of the shells himself. He dispatched a batch of 30 in five minutes, and proceeded with the others until he had swallowed 77, when the 78th 'went and came like the old woman's soap.' However, he at length disposed of that and another, when he gave up the job, having actually devoured 79."

This character of news must have well pleased our Somerset forebears of that generation, especially when, in addition, there were articles upon "Singular Effects of Love," "Running in Debt," "African Slave Trade," "Lockjaw in Horses," etc.

The marriages announced are of Mr. John Van Derveer, merchant, to Miss Margaret Collyer, both of Bedminster; of Mr. Jacob Vosseller to Miss Sarah DeForest, both of Bridgewater; of Mr. Stephen Beach, of Pluckemin, to Miss Hannah Finley, daughter of widow Finley, of Lamington; of Mr. William Lister to Miss Sarah Moffet, both of Millstone; and, at Readington, of Mr. James Stryker to Miss Deborah, daughter of Mr. John Baker.

The only Somerville advertisers were: A Mr. Hull, "lecturer on English Grammar," announces a gratuitous lecture of "only 60 minutes" at "Mr. Torbert's long room." Debtors to the estate of "Dickinson [Dickson] Miller, Esq.," may pay their bills Thursdays and Fridays. A Mr. Barcalow (first name torn out in the newspaper) "intends manufacturing of chairs," and Samuel J. Brant has a "Spinning wheel and chair manufactory at the old stand." D. D. Ryckman has a "Tobacco and segar manufactory" in the "the shop lately occupied by James Barcalow, near Torbert's hotel." The newspaper publisher, Mr. Gore, has for sale legal blanks, school books, Psalms and hymns, Bibles, ink powder and blacking. Samuel Hall offers $5 reward for "a black man, tanner by trade, 39 years of age," who has run away.

There are other county advertisers, viz.: John P. Quick and Israel Higgins announce they have "commenced fulling, dying [dyeing] and finishing cloth" at the North-Branch Factory (Cornelius Van Derveer's Mills), 5 miles from Somerville." Selah Daniels has the "North-Branch Woolen Factory at the old stand at Runk's Mills at the North-Branch." William Hoagland, late Sheriff, and John I. Gaston, Sheriff, advertise lands for sale at these inns: Peter Blair, in Bedminster township, Lewis Winans in Warren township, Richard Stout at North Branch. Peres Bonney, John Ross and A. Howell, commissioners to divide the real estate of Peter Trinity, are to make allotments "at the house late of Jeremiah Fisher, deceased," at Middlebrook. The administrators of "the late Frederick Frelinghuysen, deceased," offer at public sale his farm of about 150

acres at Millstone. H. Van Derveer, administrator of John Sutphin, deceased, will sell at public sale a 300-acre homestead farm at North Branch and a 116-acre farm near by. E. Cownover and G. B. Stryker, executors of William Covenhoven, will sell a 222-acre-farm in Montgomery township. Gilbert Powelson, surviving executor of Cornelius Powelson, will sell the homestead of 172 acres near Peapack. The executors of Rev. Peter Studdiford will sell a valuable mill and 80 acres of land and 40 acres near by (no place stated), and also a 160-acre farm "near the junction of the North and South Branches of the Raritan." Jacob Van Doren offers "a valuable new grist and saw mills on the Raritan adjoining the increasing village of Somerville," and it includes "a good miller's dwelling." John Whitenack and James Taylor, of Somerville, will sell the 40-acre farm "in Veal-town, formerly owned by Thomas Whitenack, Esq., and now in the possession of Joseph Boylan." It includes a "cider-works and distillery, wheelwright's shop, dwelling," etc., and will be sold "at the house of Samuel McMurtry in Veal-town."

Orphans' Court notices relate to the estates of Ebenezer Tingley, Jacob Vroom, Hannah Ray, William Wyckoff, Adam Broach, Richard Low, John G. Eberlee, Cornelius C. Nevius and Nelly Van Nuys, all recently deceased. Besides these are various New Brunswick advertisements, and this notice of a stage line:

"Old Swiftsure Line.—The subscribers inform the Public that they have commenced running a Stage between Centreville and Elizabethtown Point, being the continuation of a line through from Philadelphia to New-York. Passengers by this line leave New-York by the steam-boat Bellona at 6 o'clock a. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and Centreville each following day at 4 o'clock a. m., and arrive at New-York at 2 p. m., passing through Somerville, Bound Brook, Plainfield, Scotch Plains, Westfield, &c. They have provided themselves with good horses and carriages; and for way-passengers going to New-York this is much the shortest and cheapest route. Fare through from Philadelphia to New-York, $3.50—from Somerville to the latter, 75 cents.

"Wm. Van Derveer,
John Edgar."

In other words, it was much cheaper in 1826 to go from Somerville to New York and return than it is by the steam cars in 1918. But then the Federal Government did not control the stage coaches!

The Revolutionary Beacon at Pluckamin

When Washington's army was at Middlebrook in the Spring of 1779, a portion of it was also established near Pluckemin. It was on February 18th of that year when the French Alliance was celebrated in that town.

(See QUARTERLY, Vol. II, pp. 15, 154). On March 23rd, Washington, writing from his then "Headquarters," which must have been at the Wallace House in Somerville, to Brigadier-General Knox, directed that a beacon be erected "upon the mountain in the rear of Pluckamin." The following is the letter:

"HEADQUARTERS, 23rd March, 1779.

"BRIG. GEN. KNOX,

DEAR SIR:—For the more speedy assembling of the militia upon an emergency, I have agreed with the field officers in this and the next County to erect beacons upon the most conspicuous hills, the firing of which shall be signals for them to repair to their different alarm posts. You will be pleased to have one erected upon the mountain in the rear of Pluckemin, upon the place that shall seem most visible from the adjacent County. The beacons are proposed to be built of logs in the form of a pyramid, 16 or 18 feet square at the base and about 20 feet in height, the inner part to be filled with brush. Should there be occasion to fire it you shall have proper notice. . . . I am, Dear Sir;

"Your most Obt. Servant,

"GEO. WASHINGTON."

Rev. Dr. Messler's Record of His Parents

The late Rev. Abraham Messler, D. D., pastor for fifty years of the First Reformed Church at Somerville, left behind him some private notes of his parents, which have been sent to us, and from them we extract the following items: "Cornelius Messler, my father, b. Feb. 9, 1759, m. Maria Stryker, dau. of Dennis Stryker and Lena Hoagland, of South Branch, N. J. She was b. Jan. 1, 1762; bapt. Feb. 21 of that year. They were m. Nov. 15, 1781, at her father's house, and had eleven children. They commenced life on the farm northwest of Somerville and resided there for the space of twelve years, when they removed to the old homestead on the Lamington river, where they continued to reside the reminder of their lives, both dying in the old mansion house. Their remains lie interred at White House in the ground where the old church stood."

After paying a fine tribute to his parents, and telling of personal matters concerning the family, and his own preparation for college, he continues:

"After my sisters had married and left home the superintendence and work in such a family taxed the energies of my mother to the utmost. For the last twelve years of her life she was too fleshy to be comfortable, and she often complained of a difficulty in breathing which impeded her activity. As my brothers married they were fitted with horses, wagon, and family utensils in general, and began life in the small house on the west side of the farm, Cornelius, John and Peter occupying it in succession. To the daughters in the same way an outset was given. Indeed that old home as I remember it was a pleasant home. Without any

serious sickness and without any deaths for years in our family, we seemed to be guarded from the common ills of life, and at the same time abundantly favored with its common blessings. It changed in one respect. The older children married and went out into the world, and the younger grew up, and at last the time for the great change came. The mother died, and then the father departed. We sold the old place. Then the old mansion was burned,—not a trace of it left.

"After the death of my mother, Oct. 25, 1832, my father continued in the old home with my youngest brother Isaac. At first they had only the old colored woman, Nancy, who had nursed my mother in her last illness, as housekeeper, but in the course of a year Isaac took to himself a wife and brought her home. Thus the household was reconstructed, and the time passed away until the death of my father, Nov. 28, 1843. This farm was rented for one year, and in 1845 Isaac Messler, his son, bought the homestead."

Dr. Messler closes his notes by adding the following:

"Our old house contained a part of the residence of Rev. James McCrea, minister once of the Presbyterian church of Lamington, and the father of Jane McCrea who was murdered by the Indians near Sandy Hill, N. Y., during the Revolutionary War. The kitchen part was said by my father to have been Dr. McCrea's sutdy, and that it had been moved from a place nearer the river for an addition to the main building, and the other part of it formed the family room, and a bedroom behind it, the mode in which the two had been joined together clearly seen in the garret. The kitchen stood about ten feet from the main house, and the intervening space was built in and used as a Summer dining-room and common entrance to house and kitchen."

(For fuller notes on the Messler ancestry, see Vol. V of the QUARTERLY, p. 263).

Another Somerset Man who "Made Good"

The late Charles C. McBride, born at Pluckemin 71 years ago, was another instance of a Somerset lad who began life in humble circumstances, worked his way up, through the local school and through college, then taught school in Somerset county, studied law, became a lawyer, then editor of the able "Daily Journal" in Elizabeth, then one of the editors of the "Newark Evening News." He died at his summer home at Ocean Grove on Oct. 27th last, leaving a host of friends, who admired him as a Christian man and as an editor who was every whit honest, reliable, high-minded, clean-minded, just. He conferred honor upon his county and aided to raise journalism in New Jersey to a higher mark than its ordinary level.

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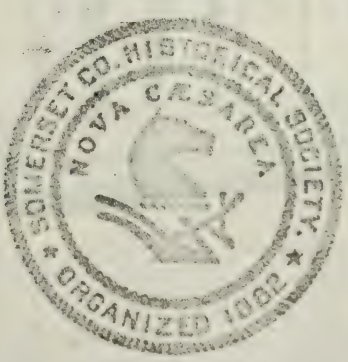
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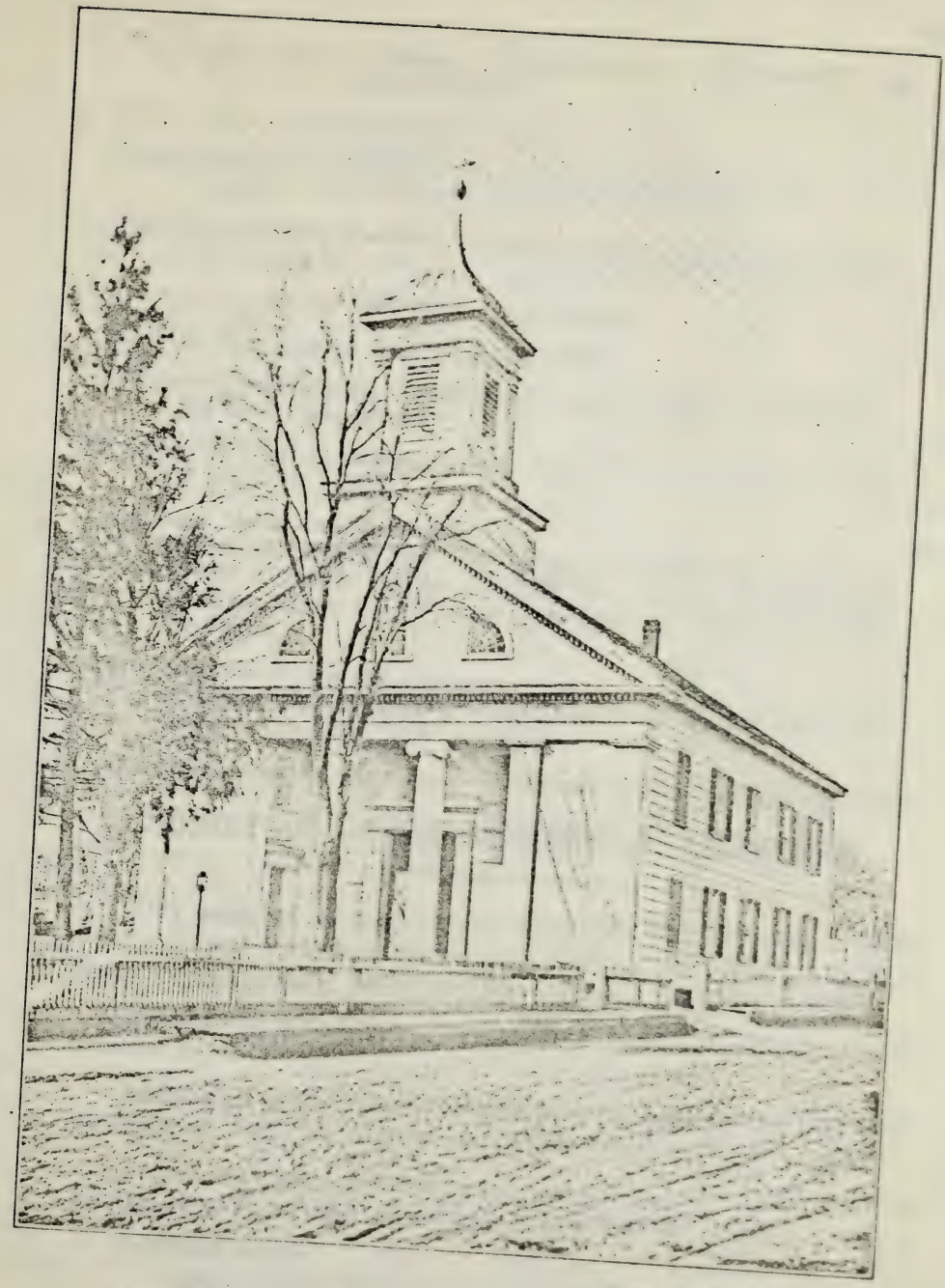


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FORMER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BOUND BROOK

Erected in 1829 on site of building of 1709. In 1851, when struck by lightning, and repairs made necessary, a new front was added and a twelve-feet extension added. This church was entirely destroyed in the fire of 1896.



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THE MAJOR THOMAS TALMAGE FAMILY NARRATIVE

BY BOBERT SWARTWOUT TALMAGE, NEW YORK CITY

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AS RECORDED in the October QUARTERLY, Thomas Talmage, the father of Major Talmage, was taken when a youth to live in the home of his Aunt Eunice, wife of Thomas Riggs, of Basking Ridge. A settlement had been made there as early as 1700, but it was not until 1717 that John Harrison, acting for the Proprietors of East Jersey, purchased the rights from the Indians of about three thousand acres of land. The country is undulating and fertile, and it was but natural that the Scotch people, who began emigrating to America at that time and coming into East Jersey, should choose a place of this character upon which to make their homes, the less rugged contours of which reminded them so strongly of the lowlands of their beloved Scotland.

The earliest names to be found on the records are Pitney, Rolfe, Ayers, Alexander and Kirkpatrick, all of Scotch origin. In 1733 the designation Basking Ridge[1] first appears in the ecclesiastical records of the parish, though the settlement is the oldest in Bernards Township. During the following decade many others of the same country and faith arrived and joined the original settlers, and the records are largely made up of Scottish names, such as Morton, Southard, McCoy, Kemper, Craig, Kennedy, Whitaker, Ogden, Todd, Lyon, Miller, McEwan, Boylan, Morris, Riggs and Caldwell.

The Talmage family had up to this time been staunch supporters of the Church of England for generations, but the early associations of Thomas Talmage and his marriage to the daughter of a Scotchman seem

[1]The name is said to have originated from the open plateau or sunny ridge, upon which wild animals came to bask.

to have influenced his religious beliefs, and from that time until the present the family has been largely communicants of the Presbyterian Church.

We know little of the life of Thomas Talmage. After his marriage to his cousin, Elizabeth Wicks, at East Hampton, Long Island, he brought her to Basking Ridge to live, and it was there that their son, Major Thomas Talmage, and his four sisters were born. In the year 1760 he, with Lord Stirling and Stephen Ogden, were witnesses to a will of Mr. Stephen Brown, in which money was bequeathed for use as part payment of the minister's salary.

It is altogether probable that he built or helped to build "The Mansions," the manor house of William Alexander, Lord Stirling, at Basking Ridge, which was completed in 1767, though of this there is no record. In the year 1777 both he and his family and Major Talmage and wife and babe removed to Sussex County and lived in Wantage Township until the close of the Revolution, when they purchased the plantation at Piscataway. No reason is given for the removal of both families to northern Sussex, sixty miles away from Basking Ridge, but it is probable that the change was necessitated by the construction of certain buildings in that part of the Province, and that his eldest son Daniel and others of the family had already settled there.

In this connection we may suggest that a Somerset relative, Noah Talmage, enlisting from Sussex, is said to have been born in Elizabethtown in 1761. He was married to Elizabeth Chamberlain and was by profession a builder. He is said to have erected the Presbyterian Church at Sparta, dedicated in 1786. In this work he was probably assisted by his kinsmen, Thomas Talmage, Sr., and Jr., both of the same profession.

Several authorities have asserted that Noah was a brother of Major Thomas, but this statement must not be allowed to go unchallenged. In his "Narrative and Diary" Major Thomas Talmage writes: "My father had but three sons by the first marriage, David, John and Enos, (who died in infancy), and one by the second marriage, namely myself, Thomas." Again he writes: "My brothers were both dead (1790). John died of small-pox and Daniel was killed at Lackaway" (battle of Minisink, July 22, 1779). In all probability Noah Talmage was the son of Daniel, a son of Daniel Talmage, Sr., who settled at Elizabethtown in 1719, a brother of Thomas Talmage, Sr. No issue has ever been accorded this Daniel, though his name appears on a family chart in possession of the writer.

Major Talmage writes, in the year 1777: "I had business seventeen miles away (from Wantage) and at that place my aunt was living." He then describes his return home over the mountain on a stormy night as follows: "The night was so black I could see nothing ahead; I lost my

way and had great difficulty in keeping on my horse's back. I held my riding-whip aloft to fend off the branches and keep them from striking me in the face, but what with the limbs of trees and the narrow path, it was most difficult to get on. Presently I found myself monstrously entangled,—yet I must make an attempt to go forward. Alas! I soon found myself in a terrible morass or bog. I dismounted but sunk in over my boots. My horse floundered, but, being pretty strengthy, he made out to follow me. I finally came onto higher ground and trusting myself to the guidance of the Lord proceeded at a venture and finally reached home about the breaking of day."

The outbreak of hostilities between Great Britain and the Provinces found Major Talmage ready to spring to the defense of his native soil. His brother, Daniel, was a Member of the Association of Whigs of Morris County,[2] and both he and Thomas were in the battle of Minisink, where Daniel Talmage was killed.[3]

From Wantage Township Major Talmage removed his family in 1786 to Piscataway, and there, with him, his father and mother lived until their deaths. Referring to his father's death in 1790 he writes: "It was two years later [after the death of his mother] that my father departed this life; being taken very suddenly with a violent plurisie, he was left speechless and died without making a will. My brothers were both dead, but had left children who would be entitled by the law to share in the estate, though my father had given of his substance all that he intended to give them. This very much disappointed my expectation, as it had

[2]Association Pledge of 1775: "We, the subscribed Freeholders and inhabitants of this Township of Pequanock in the County of Morris, Province of New Jersey having long viewed with concern the aroused design of the ministry of Great Britain to raise revenue in America, being duly affected with cruel hostilities already commenced in Massachusetts Bay for carrying arbitrary designs into execution, conceive that the Preservation of the Rights and Privileges of America depend under God on the firm Union of its inhabitants, do with hearts abhorring slavery and ardently wishing for a reconciliation with the parent State on Constitutional Principles, solemnly associate and resolve under sacred ties of virtue, honor and love to our country, that we will personally and as far as our influence extend endeavor to support and carry into execution whatever measures may be recommended by the Continental and Provisional Congress for defending our Constitution and preserving the same inviolate."

[3]There was erected in 1822 at Goshen a monument to the martyrs who fell at Minisink. In 1862 it was replaced by a $25,000 shaft. In Charles D. Platt's "Ballads of New Jersey" is a poem description of the battle, one verse reading:

"Falling! falling! their flanks
Are exposed to the blazing muskets.
One by one they drop in their tracks!
Look yonder! a soldier
Tall and stalwart of frame,
Dan Talmage by name,
Leaps high in the air and falls
Pierced thro' the heart by the flying balls."

always been understood that I was to inherit the old Mansion and the principal part of the landed estate."

Although the main occupation of Major Talmage was building, there can be no doubt about his having managed personally his plantation, consisting of several hundred acres. On the church records are found baptisms of several of his negro slaves,—Harry, France, Victory, Judy and Tom, for whom the Major stood sponsor.[4]

For some years after the death of his father, Major Talmage lived on at Piscataway, but in 1798 he removed to Somerville where his name is often found in the church records and he seems to have been active in the affairs of the town. The same year he purchased a tract of some hundred or more acres in Bridgewater Township and commenced the building of Mont Verd. This tract, as is well known, was purchased, about 1860, from the estate and long resided on by the late Mr. George H. Potts. In planning some alterations he was told by his architect not to change the foundation or superstructure, as it was most solid, and in as fine condition as when the house was built, the beams showing in the cellar being two feet wide.

As the name, Mont Verd, indicates, the place is situated on a ridge at the foot of the mountain, about two miles north of Somerville. Originally the house was rather low, with a pillared porch crossing the front, which was toward the mountain. It had a wide hallway running the depth of the house and some fifteen or more large rooms. The driveway leading up to the mansion was bordered on either side by cherry trees, while a circle of huge elms surrounded the house.

When the writer first saw Mont Verd in 1880 he recalls a black and white marble tiling on the entrance hall. On the west was the drawing-room, divided by columns; while on the east side were library and dining-room. Originally there had been a flower garden at the south with box-bordered gravel walks, but this had been done away with and a terrace and driveway had been put in its place.

Standing on the porch and facing the mountain a call or laugh came back distinctly and it was often startling to the visitor to hear this echo of laughter repeated a few second later, seeming to come from the air.

At the foot of the lawn a spring of mountain water bubbled up, and

[4]The writer owns a deed of sale of a negro purchased by Major Talmage living at Piscataway. It reads as follows:

"For and in consideration of One hundred pounds I her'by acknowledge the sale of a negro man named Tom to Thomas Talmage of Piscataway and do so engage to warrant and defend him from all claims of any Person or Persons whatsoever. Witness my hand this seventeenth day of April, 1792.

Witness present: HEZEKIAH SMITH."

JOHN KILPATRICK.

HANNAH LANE.

Mrs. Potts related the tradition that one who drank of it would never grow old! The high spirits usually to be found in those of the name may thus be accounted for. The Talmages are not a long-lived race, but they keep young to the end.

Later owners have changed Mont Verd considerably. A mansard roof and other "improvements" have been added, and the house has a modern, up-to-date air, though it first saw light in the Eighteenth Century.

The size of the original estate is not known. From the records it appears that in the year 1800 Major Talmage and his wife, Mary, conveyed unto Dickinson Miller eighty-eight acres, "part of the plantation whereon I live;" while in the year 1811 he and his son, Goyn, added to the property by purchasing seventy-five acres from Peter Stryker.

It was on the death of this, his eldest son, that Major Talmage wrote the following letter to his daughter, Sarah, who was visiting in New York City at the time, and other friends. The post mark on the outside was then, not Somerville, but "Somerset C. H.," and the date "April 28."

Monday morning, 8 o'clock,
"Mont Verd,
27 April, 1812.

"My dear and much esteemed Friends:

"This letter is presented jointly to my dear daughter Sarah, to my beloved friends, Mr. A. E. Brouwer, and to Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter. I take this method of addressing you because I have not time to write to each in particular, and at the first onset I feel disposed to adopt the language of holy Job: 'Have pity upon me, have pity upon me, O, ye my friends, for the hand of the Lord hath touched me.' This is, I trust, not a complaint made against the great God. No, my dear friends, the cup my Heavenly Father hath given me to drink, shall I not drink it?

"Yes, blessed be God, he enables me, and I think beyond what I could have expected, to drink the bitter potion, and in taking the draught I have found many precious sweets mingled therein.

"Our dear son is indeed no more. He has left this mortal life, this world of sin and sorrow. He has winged his way to the portals of eternal day; to the mansions of Eternal Glory.

"Blessed be God for the living testimony he hath left behind and for the consolation he hath given us. The cage (his dear remains) was left behind, but the bird hath taken its flight.

"The death of Goyn has caused general sorrow. A friend told me this morning that he has never known a death in this place so universally lamented as his. Could prayers and tears, medicine and the best attention have saved him, he would not have died, but, as he himself said in the time of his sickness, the decree was pass'd; his work was done. But what a loss to his aged parents and his own dear wife and children! The prop on which we had learned to lean has been struck from under us; the stream at which we so often refreshed is now dried up. We may say

with good old Jacob, 'Joseph is not and Simeon is not.' 'The Lord hath indeed made breach upon breach upon us.' About six months since our son Daniel, who, like Joseph, was separated from his brethren, died in a foreign land, and now Goyn, our dear son, whose dutiful behaviour to his parents hath gained so much the affection of their hearts, is no more. 'The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.'

"The circumstances attending his sickness I have already mentioned to Sarah in my last Thursday night's letter. It was the following evening that he fell asleep in Jesus.

"The funeral was attended by a very large and representative concourse of people on Sabbath morning, and at 10 o'clock the burial took place, after which all resorted to the church, where the Rev. Mr. Vredenbergh gave an appropriate sermon, with the text from Ecclesiastes IX, Chap. IV, 10th verse: 'Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might.' Contrary to his usual custom he referred many times to Goyn's character, and mentioned the great loss which would be sustained by society and the church with whom he stood connected.

"You'll all be tired of reading, and therefore I conclude with my most sincere love and affection, in which my dear wife joins.

"THOS. TALMAGE."

The Somerville Academy was founded in the year 1801 and Dr. Messler writes of it as follows: "It came about in this wise: A number of gentlemen had met to celebrate the Fourth of July and after a service in the church they repaired to the hotel, where a dinner was served. Among them were several who had sons to educate and it was decided at that time to found a classical school where Latin and Greek could be taught to the young men who proposed to enter college. On the 18th of July at another meeting a constitution was adopted, which provided for the erection of a building." The contract for erecting this building was awarded to Major Thomas Talmage, who was also one of the twenty Regents appointed by the Committee.

The following year the Somerset Court House was built. This was a very fine building for the times and cost £5,884. Thomas Talmage was awarded the contract for constructing this building and was paid £414 as fee for supervision.

It is unfortunate that Major Talmage in his Diary did not go more fully into the stirring events of the Revolutionary War, in many battles of which he took part in his native State, but at the time the record was written, 1800-1814, the War had been over many years and he had settled down to a peaceful old age at Mont Verd.

That he was a man deeply imbued with religious sentiment and believed implicitly in a "Guiding Hand" is shown throughout his writings. Tradition has it that he wished to enter the ministry, but, being an only son, found that the many duties which came to him early in life prevented

his studying for that profession. There is little of historic interest or literary worth in his notes, but, when one considers the very limited opportunities of education afforded to the country boy of pre-Revolutionary days, the papers are not without interest.

An obituary published at the time of his death closed with the following:

"We believe we hazard nothing in saying that Major Talmage was pre-eminently true to his convictions of right and that there is none to challenge his perfect rectitude. He had a high sense of honor and loved everything that comprehended the true and the beautiful. He had likewise hatred of everything that was mean and dishonorable. To a blameless life he united graces of mind, tenderness of heart and unswerving fealty to what he conceived to be the right."

His indeed was a life worth the living and worthy of its predecessors and well may we be proud of him and such as he who were

"Our ancestors, a gallant Christian Race,
Patrons of every virtue, every grace."

DIRCK LOW'S PUBLIC BUSINESS

BY JOHN J. DE MOTT, METUCHEN, N. J.

DIRCK LOW, of Neshanic, (for lineage see QUARTERLY, Vol. VI, page 205), in addition to his activities in connection with the building of Neshanic church (see Ibid, Vol. VII, pages 171, 263), was also an important man in the community. He was especially active in the settlement of estates. The following notes, sifted from his records, contain much of value in showing family relationships, occupations, current prices, etc., in Colonial and Revolutionary days. Owing to the nature of these records, the abstracts here given are scattering and make no claim to completeness.

ESTATE OF JOHANNIS EMANS

Names mentioned: 1752, John Vroom, Cornelius Lane; 1753, Rulf Van Duine, Richard Pittenger; 1754, William Post, Andrew Emans, Andrew Ten Eick, Anthony Legere; 1759, John Van Sickle, Jr., Harmanus Hoagland; 1763, Samuel Tilton; (no date), Isaac Van Dyke.

"The above mentioned money belongs to the four children of Johannis Emans, deceased, namely, Catrintje, Sarah, Abraham and Jacob."

Receipts for money accrued on the above estate were signed by the following: 1759, 1760, Catherine Low (mark); 1759, 1760, Sarah Emans (mark); 1766, Abraham Emans; 1767, Jacob Emans.

Estate of John Van Dyke

"We whose names are here underwritten do hereby acknowledge that we have received this thirtieth day of March, 1765, of Derick Low, the just and full sum of twelve shillings, and three pence and three farthings, being our due for such goods as the said Derick Low has bought on a vendue held of the goods and chattels of our grandfather, John Van Dyke, as also such linens as the said Derick Low had in dividing the same."

Signed by Andrew Emans, Catherine Low (mark), Sarah Emans (mark), James Emans, Receiver for John and Jacob Emans, Abram Emans. Attested by Teunis Middagh.

"Received this 5th day of July, 1767, of Dirck Low, the Sum of twenty-one pounds, sixteen shillings and seven pence, being money that the said Dirck Low received of Jacob Van Dyke in behalf of Sarah

"Peter Clover."

Receipts for money accrued on this estate were signed in 1770, 1771 and 1772 by Abraham, Jacob, Andrew, John and James Emans, (mark) Catherine Low, (mark) and Sarah Clover, (mark).

Estate of Andrew Emans

"We whose names are hereunder written do hereby acknowledge that we have received this first day of June, 1770, of Dirck Low, the sum of six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, York money, being [part?] of the sum which the said Dirck Low received on the thirtieth day of May, 1770, of the Estate of our grandfather, Andrew Emans, deceased: We say, received the same by us."

Foregoing signed by Peter Clover, Abraham Emans, in behalf of Jacob Emans, Catherine Low (mark), John Emans, James Emans, Andrew Emans.

"We whose names are hereunder written do hereby acknowledge that we have received this fourteenth day of May, 1771, of Dirck Low, the just and full sum of three pounds, two shillings and seven pence, York money, being our due of the sum which the said Dirck Low received on the ninth day of May, 1771, of Jaques Denice, being money due to us of the Estate of grandfather, Andrew Emans, deceased: We say, received by us."

This receipt was signed by John Low, Peter Clover, Jacob Emans, James Emans, John Emans, Andrew Emans.

Estate of Judith Low

This was Dirck Low's mother (Judith, or Judick, Middagh). She was bapt. May 21, 1696, being the daughter of Dirck Middagh and Cataline Van Neste. She was the widow of Cornelius Low, and is usually referred to in records as "Judick" Low).

Names mentioned are—1784, 1786, 1787, Thomas Hall; 1784, Fol-

kert Douw (for tax); 1787, Stout Sutphen; 1791, Ralph Phillips; 1794, 1795, 1796, Henry Disbrow; 1794, 1795, 1796, Anne Van Fleet; 1794, 1796, Mary Bodine, widow; 1794, 1796, John Van Nest; 1795, Frederick Frelinghuysen, attorney in a suit between Gerrit Low and the Estate of Judick Low, deceased, £12.11.0.

The date of Judith Low's death is approximately shown by this expense entry: "21 June, 1785, to Frederick Frelinghuysen for a letter of administration, £2.2.6."

Estate of Gertrude Titsort, Widow of Abraham Titsort

This surname is also written Tietsoort, Tietsorth and Titsworth.

Money received; names mentioned being: 1763, Gerrit Low, Anne Post, John Low, Dirck Low, Abraham Brokaw, Daniel Hunt, Teunis Middagh; 1764, Abraham Merlet, Joseph Dennis for flax, Jacobus Emans, Edward Hall, Abraham Briten, John Hall, John Cock, Cornelius Low, Peter Van Nest, John Huff, Thomas Hall, Jr., for a hide, David Sleght; 1765, John Bennet, John Green, Isaac Ginnis, Thomas Van der Voort, Johannis Schank for wheat; 1766, John Bennit, Mark Merlet, Isaac Hoff.

Disbursements (some items omitted) include these rather interesting ones:

"1763, Nov. 16.	Teunis Middagh, for clerk of the inventory and vendue	£0. 7. 4
	Urbanis Karkhoff for weaving	1. 5. 9
1764,	Christopher Preston, for digging grave	7. 0
	Widow Dely for cider	1. 0
	Edward Hall, for appraising goods	2. 6
	Benjamin Low, for crying at vendue	1. 0. 0
	Benjamin Low, for rails	1. 0. 0
	Edward Wilmit, for surveying the wheat field	3. 5
	Cornelius Low, for appraising goods	1. 7
	Abraham Voorhees, for smithing	2.15. 0
	John Hoff, for schooling one of the children	10. 6
	Nicholas Miscum, for weaving	3. 6
	Abraham Titsort, for labor	(?)
	Thomas Hall, Jr., for shoes	1.17. 6
	Lawrence Low for fencing burying ground	7. 0
	David Sleght, for tailoring	14. 0
	George Andrew Verselius, Doctor	2. 0. 0
	Robert Smiley in behalf of Peter Ten Eick upon Doctor Rue's account	14.10. 9
1765,	Carney the lawyer, for a fee	17. 6
	Abraham Titsort, for clothing one of the children, namely, William	1. 5.10
	2 quarters schooling at 7/- per qu.	14. 0

	English Testament - - - - - - - -	2. 2
	Boarding the schoolmaster - - - - - - -	1. 0
	18 sheets of writing paper - - - - - - -	1. 1
	Thomas Van der Voort, Doctor - - - - - -	4.10. 6
1766,	George Andrew Veseleer, Doctor - - - - -	4. 6
	Gerrit Low, for half barrel cider - - - - -	4. 0
	Christopher Stevens, for a sheet - - - - - -	5.10
	Abraham Brokaw, upon a bond - - - - - -	14. 0. 0
	Margaret Titsoort, for mending shoes for William -	2. 3
	Barnardes Lagrans upon the account of Patrick Royly	6. 9
	Wilhelmus Ver Brick - - - - - - - -	1.10. 2"

"Received the third day of January, 1767, by us, Abraham Tietsoort and Peter Tietsoort, of the County of Somerset, of Derick Low of the same place, as a guardian instituted by Gertrude Tietsoort, widow of Abraham Tietsoort, deceased, the sum of nine pounds, five shillings and five pence of current money of New Jersey, being money which the said Gertrude left as legacies to her children in the hands of said Derick Low, of which said sum and all other debts, duties, sum and sums of money and demands whatsoever upon account of said guardianship of said Derick Low we the said Abraham and Peter Tietsoort do acquit and fully discharge the said Derick Low, his heirs, executors, administrators and every of them forever by these presents. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands the date first above written."

Signed by Abraham Tietsoort, Peter Tietsoort, and attested by Teunis Middagh.

A release identical with the above, for the same amount, was executed Feb. 5, 1770, by Isaac Tietsoort (signed by mark) and John Tietsoort. This was also witnessed by Teunis Middagh.

A further identical release, for the same amount, was executed May 1, 1774, by William Tietsorth. This was witnessed by Abraham Tietsoort.

Estate of Adrian Schomp

"The two children of Adrian Schomp, deceased, are to be at Samuel Waldron's for a year, the oldest, named Samuel, for fourteen pounds, the youngest, named Nicholas, for fifteen pounds, as the money passed in the year 1774, for which sums the said Samuel Waldron is to find said children all necessary supplies, both victualing and clothing, which said children were taken the 14 Day of March, 1780.

"Jeronimus Waldron took Isaac for fourteen pounds per year as above, and took him on 21 Day of March, 1780.

"Dirck Low took the girl, named Stintje, but not agreed upon what terms, and took her on the 21 Day of March, 1780.

"The said Stintje was taken away the 28 day of July, 1780, by Michael Kinney."

"This is to certify whom it may concern that on the 19 day of March, 1787, the Executors of Adrian Schomp, deceased, did request of Jost

Schomp, brother of said Adrian, to release the land according to the word brought in by the administrators, which he refused before."

Signed by Jeromis Waldron, Harman Van Deripe, John Low.

"Paid out of said money May 7, 1788, to Peter Pruner, for the cost and expenses to take Stintje, daughter of said Schomp, to Canetucke [Kentucky], the Sum of £15.0.0."

"Account of the Money Received by Dirck Low of the goods and chattels of Adrian Schomp, late of the Township of Hillsborough in the County of Somerset, deceased."

The names stated are:

1780, Joseph Moorehead, John Low, John Davis, clerk of vendue, John Willison, John Sutphin, Cornelius Low, Peter Cornell, William Bullis, Michael Blew, Minard Lefevre, Abraham Titsort, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Nancy Hance, Jacob Pecker, George Hall (son of Edward), John Lance, Abraham Hardenbrook, Frances Waldron, Samuel Waldron, John Pecker, Jacob Flagg, Joseph Corl, Abbe Hanse, John Sutphin (son of Jacob), Abraham Carkhoff, Henry Case, Cornelius Peterson, John Waldron, Benjamin Waldron, William Waldron, John Griggs, Peter Bodine, Peter Clover, Minne Voorhees, Rulf Peterson, William Low.

1781, Dirck Middagh, William Cool, Henry Worley, Joseph Van Dorn, Adam Broach, John Corle, John Sanders, James Clark, Ferdinand Van Dyke, Bernardus Ver Brike.

1782, Jacob Flagg, for rent of the place.

1783, Lodewicke Hardenbrook, John Stiers, Urbanis Kerkhoff, Stout Sutphen, Ram Lupardus, James Waldron, Peter Deals, Widow Sheaves.

1784, Jonathan Hill, Jeromus Vanderbilt, Zachariah Sickels, Christopher Row, Nathaniel Lowry, Teunis Post, Alexander Johnson, John Stevense, Cornelius Prall.

1785, Denice Boice, James Mott.

1786, Adam Yeakely, Adam Case, John Jeroloman, William Chamberlan, John Lasey.

1787, John Van Houten, Stephen Voorhees, John Flagg, Jacob Flagg, Thomas Van Fleet, Joseph Van Dorn.

1788, Nicholas Jeroloman, Dirck Sutphen.

1789, Peter Hoff, Minna Voorhees, John Ver Brike.

1793, Enos Lanning, Teunis Post.

1794, Isaac Voorhees, Peter Van Fleet, Joshua Higgins, Peter Quick.

1795, Henry Moore, Adrian Aten.

1797, John Post, Henry Post, Jeromus Waldron.

Not only did the settlement of this large Schomp estate involve the collection of money from many sources, but it also necessitated the payment of many sums over a period of years. Some of these were:

"1780,	William Paterson for proving the will	£34. 0. 0
	Dirck Low for a coffin	46.17. 6
	Harman Van Deripe for 1 gallon and a quart of rum at 100 dollars a gallon for the funeral	46.17. 6
	Ditto to serve as appraiser for 2 days at 30 dollars a day	22.10. 0
	Mark Titsort for digging the grave	11. 5. 0
	Jacobus Hegeman for to serve as appraiser 2 days at 30 dollars and a day for evidence to prove the will at 55 dollars	43. 2. 6
	Samuel Waldron, ditto	43. 2. 6
	John Davis to serve as clerk at vendue	112.10. 0
	Lodewick Hardenbrook for to notify some people to the burying	9. 7. 6
	Peter Clover for smithing	4.16. 3
	Michael Blew for making shoes	73. 2. 6
	Judedick Tomson for tending Adrian Schomp	33.15. 0
	Adrian Aten for a woolen hat	11.17. 6
	Joseph Van Dorn for tax	131.15. 0
	Doctor Jennings for medicines	195. 0. 0
	John Kline for surveying the wheat	22.10. 0
	Teunis Middagh to serve as clerk for taking the inventory	22.10. 0
	Francis Waldron for making shoes	12.16. 3
	Doctor Abraham Van Buren	260. 0. 0
	Jacob Flagg for crying the vendue	150. 0. 0
	Godfrey Clear for fulling a piece of cloth	52.10. 0
	Harman Van Deripe upon the account of Harry Hall, negro, for 8 yards tow linen	40. 5. 0
	Teunis Middagh for schooling of Stintje, daughter of of said Schomp	37.10. 0
	Teunis Middagh for writing indenture for said Stintje	1.17. 6
1782,	Jacob Flagg for fencing	2. 0. 0
	Jeromus Waldron for keeping one of the children	7.10. 0
	Rynier Staats for smithing	2. 4
1785,	Thomas Reading for cost of a trial between the executors and John Sutphen	2. 6
	Cost on said trial	1.10.11
	John Davis for writing and serving as clerk	15. 0
	Lawyer Smith for a fee	1. 2. 6
	Abraham Staats for surveying the land	10. 0
1786,	To the Arbitrators	5. 8
	Dirck Low for a coffin made for a sister of said deceased	15. 0
	William Ver Brike upon the account of John Davis for schooling Isaac	1.14.11

	Edward Cooper for schooling - - - - - -	1.13. 4
	Samuel Waldron for keeping the two youngest children - - - - - - - - - - -	7.10. 0
1787,	Jeromus Waldron for keeping Isaac - - - -	15.16. 2
1789,	Cost of the arbitration between John Ver Brike and the Executors - - - - - - - - - -	15. 9
1790,	Liquidating the certificates - - - - -	1. 0
1791,	Writing the indenture of Isaac - - - - -	3. 9
	Frelinghuysen, for a fee of advice - - - -	15. 0
1794,	Dirck Low for writing indentures of Nicholas Schomp - - - - - - - - - -	3. 6"

The struggles which Dirck Low had with fluctuating money values, combined with the confusion in changing from sterling to the dollar basis, are illustrated by a number of complicated entries, of the following, dated 1780, in connection this Schomp estate is typical:

"An account of the money paid out upon the Estate by Said Dirck Low is, viz. - - - - - - - -	-£1772. 7. 6
In bank notes - - - - - - - - - -	- 2325. 0. 0
Find in my hands 2600 Continental dollars - - -	975. 0. 0
One Note of £293.5.0, which I have in my use and must make it good to the Estate one hard dollar for forty with interest - - - - - - - - - -	293. 5. 0
Find a balance due the Estate in Continental currency which I must make good to the said Estate at the rate of one hard dollar for 75 - - - - - - -	109. 3. 0
	£5474.15. 6

"An account of the exchange of the above 2600 mentioned dollars is, viz., 2250 at the rate of 75 for one specie dollar, which makes 30 specie dollars; 350 at the rate of 175 for one ditto, which makes 2 ditto. In all 32 specie dollars, which belongs to this account to make it a balance."

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DESCENDANTS OF CORNELIUS VAN LIEW, OF THREE-MILE RUN

BY THE LATE "AUNT BETSEY" VAN LIEW

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IN ADDITION to the items previously printed, the following were set down by "Aunt Betsey" in her notes. Some of these refer to her own branch of the family, while others concern more distant relatives of the Van Liew name.

Uncle John D. Van Liew, of Three Mile Run, died Oct. 24, 1823, on Friday evening, and was buried Sunday afternoon. [Brother of Cornelius (1). He was born June 24, 1763].

Aunt Ann, wife of John D., died Oct. 27, 1847.

Dorothy Van Liew, their daughter, died Nov. 21, 1833. Suicide. Mr. Howe preached her funeral on the 23rd from Eccl. 7:2.

Ida Voorhees, daughter of John D. and Ann Van Liew, died Oct. 12, 1863, aged 63 years.

Uncle Denice Van Liew, of Middlebush, died Sept. 9, 1811, of typhus fever. [Brother of Cornelius (1). He was born May 10, 1761].

Aunt Dinah Duryee, wife of Denice Van Liew, died Nov. 8, 1832. [She was born Feb. 18, 1760].

George Van Liew, son of Denice and Dinah, died in the Spring of 1838, out West. (Other records say he died Dec. 29, 1839, on board a steamer at mouth of Cumberland River, Kentucky).

Dinah Van Liew, wife of Peter Studiford Parsell, and daughter of Denice and Dinah Van Liew, died June 26, 1839, of delirium. [She was born Aug. 20, 1805; daughter of Denice Van Liew and Dinah Duryee].

Dennis Van Liew, of Cross Roads, son of Denice and Dinah Duryee, died the first week in November, 1847, of consumption. [Born May 19, 1793].

Aunt Dinah Van Liew, wife of Cornelius Conover, died Mar. 18, 1842. [Sister of Cornelius Van Liew (1). She was born Sept. 23, 1771].

Uncle Cornelius Conover, of Millstone, died May 8, 1822.

Uncle Frederick Van Liew died Nov. 28, 1791. [Brother of Cornelius (1). He was born June 12, 1756].

Aunt Elizabeth, wife of Frederick Van Liew, died Jan. 25, 1844.

Dennis F. Van Liew, son of Frederick and Elizabeth Van Liew, died July 9, 1837, in New Brunswick.

Maria Messler, wife of Dennis Van Liew, died Aug. 25, 1832, in New Brunswick, New street.

Frederick Van Liew, son of Frederick and Elizabeth Van Liew, died Aug. 6, 1837, on Sunday evening, at Middlebush, of consumption. Mr. Schultz preached his funeral sermon on the 8th, from John 11:23.

Elizabeth Van Liew, daughter of Frederick and Elizabeth Van Liew, and wife of Joseph Van Doren, died July 19, 1824, of consumption. Mr. Pherris preached her funeral on the 20th from Luke 2:29, 30.

Old Aunt Jemima Van Nostrand died April 20, 1852.

Cousin Elizabeth Hegeman died June 11, 1858, aged 72 years.

Cousin Allie Lazalier died April 27, 1857, of palsie.

Nicholas Lazalier died May 30, 1858, suddenly, of apoplexy.

Rev. John Van Liew died October 18, 1869. His funeral took place October 21, at Readington, N. J.

Daniel Disborough, of Millstone, died Apr. 15, 1849.

Matilda Van Liew, wife of Daniel Disborough, died Jan. 18, 1851.

Henry D. Traphagen died Jan. 31, 1822.

Dorothy Van Liew, wife of H. D. Traphagen, died Nov. 17, 1832. She was buried on the 19th.

Aunt Ann Van Liew died Oct. 27, 1847, aged 84, at Three Mile Run. Dr. Howe preached her funeral on the 29th from Prov. 14:32.

Catherine Van Liew, a colored woman, died Oct. 28, 1840, of dropsie, at Aunt Ann's.

Henry Van Liew, son of Dennis and Catherine Van Liew, buried Feb. 9, 1853.

Aunt Elizabeth Van Liew, died Jan. 25, 1844, in her 89th year, at the home of Peter Van Doren. Mr. Van Doren preached her funeral on the 27th, from Proverbs 14:32.

Sophia Van Liew, daughter of Garret Van Liew, of George's Road, died July, 1849, of cholera.

Sarah Catherine Van Liew married, April 21, 1853, Rev. Kirkpatrick.

John C. Van Liew, of Neshanic, N. J., died Sept. 10, 1862, of palsie.

Ida Van Liew, wife of Abraham Voorhees, of Three Mile Run, died Oct. 12, 1863, in her 64th year. Consumption.

My cousin, Captain John Van Liew, died in the spring of 1866. [Probably refers to John, son of Denice Van Liew and Dinah Duryee, who died Dec. 2, 1865, at Robinson, Brown Co., Kansas].

William Baird died December 3, 1866, at Mr. Hoagland's, at Griggstown. He had come to spend the winter in Jersey, visiting his friends, from Lysander.

Mary Ellen Van Liew, wife of Jerome Wyckoff, was buried July 2, 1850. Mr. Van Doren preached.

Ann, widow of Frederick Van Liew, died July 1, 1835, at Middlebush.

Child of Peter Studiford Parsell died July, 1835, aged three months.

Sarah Van Liew, wife of Garret Parsell, died Mar. 23, 1830.

Ralph Van Liew, of Middlebush, died Apr. 5, 1830. Mr. Zabriskie preached his funeral on the 7th from Gen. 49:18.

John Van Liew died Oct. 18, 1831. Butcher in New Brunswick.

Jeremiah Van Liew, of Middlebush, died Jan. 9, 1832. Mr. Hermance preached his funeral on the 11th from Romans 8:18.

Tiny, wife of Jeremiah Van Liew, died Dec. 16, 1831.

Maria Van Liew, of Middlebush, died Aug. 22, 1833, of dropsie.

Frederick F. Van Liew, of Middlebush, died Aug. 6, 1837, of consumption.

Aug. 8, 1837, I was at funeral of Frederick Van Liew, of Middlebush. Mr. Schultz preached from John 11:23.

Mrs. Catherine Van Nostrand, mother of Jacob Van Nostrand, died at Six Mile Run, in her 93rd year.

Ida Caroline Van Liew died Aug. 13, 1839, daughter of G. Van Liew, of George's Road.

Helena, wife of Garret Van Liew, of George's Road, died ———.

Mrs. Nelly Van Liew, widow of Jonathan Smith, died Oct. 27, 1858, aged 72 years. Daughter of Old Honse [Johannes] Van Liew.

Mrs. Catherine Beekman, wife of Abraham Lott Van Liew, died Dec. 5, 1858.

Sarah Catherine Kirkpatrick, daughter of Frederick and Maria Van Liew, died March, 1859, of consumption.

Dennis C. Van Liew, died Nov. 12, 1859, of typhoid fever.

Cornelius Van Liew, of Neshanic, died Jan. 28, 1860, of dropsie.

Denice Van Liew, of Neshanic, died July 9, 1857, in the 94th year of his age. [Probably son of Johannis Van Liew and Dorothy Lott, born Apr. 25, 1764].

Garret Van Liew moved from Millstone to Roycefield Apr. 1, 1835.

Sarah Van Liew moved to Sourland March 31, 1831, on Thursday.

March 25, 1832, in the afternoon, Mr. John Cannon Van Liew lectured at the house of Isaac Williamson, from Rev. 3:5.

Apr. 7, 1833, in the afternoon, Mr. Howe preached at the house of Frederick Van Liew, at Middlebush, from Romans 5:8.

Oct. 17, 1835, Mr. John Van Liew, of Readington, preached the preparation sermon at Middlebush, from John 19:14.

November 14, 1838, Elizabeth Van Liew left the home of her youth and the place of her nativity, and with her goods and chattels removed to Middlebush, to reside under the hospitable roof of Henry Vroom DeMott till further notice.

THE VAN ARSDALE FAMILY—PLUCKEMIN LINE

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THE VAN ARSDALE FAMILY in this country is an extremely large one, and in the Eighteenth Century was probably as large as that of any of the numerous Dutch families in Somerset. To-day it is still large in the county, though there are fewer of the surname than formerly, many being scattered throughout the West and elsewhere.

Our notes on this family are too scattering respecting the lines of certain early Van Arsdales who settled in Franklin, Hillsborough and

Montgomery townships to put them into shape for this article. As they are much fuller respecting what may be called the "Pluckemin line," by which is meant those descending from Philip Van Arsdale (b. 1702; d. 1792), one of the early settlers attending the Readington church, but who and whose descendants settled in Bridgewater and Bedminster townships near Pluckemin, this article will confine itself to Philip's line, after stating the facts about his ancestry.[1]

It has been stated that an "Isaac" Van Arsdale was the first immigrant, arriving in 1645, and that he heads the entire line of Van Arsdales in this country. Who discovered his name to have been "Isaac" and the date of his arrival is a puzzle to the writer. The account which is possessed by various members of the family in manuscript, reads as follows, not giving the name of the first American progenitor:

"The Van Arsdale who was the ancestor of that family in this country, arrived at New Netherlands from Holland at an early period in the ship 'Dynasty,' empowered by the Government, or some Company, in Holland to examine the country about New York to ascertain whether it was practicable to establish in this country a pottery for the manufacture of China ware. After fulfilling the object of his mission and with his baggage on board the vessel awaiting the day to set sail for his native land, he received a letter from his father stating that a pestilence was then raging there, and that his wife and two children had departed this life. This sad news changed his design of returning to Holland, and he settled at Flatland on Long Island. There he married a Miss Jansen. His son, his only child as far as ascertained, Simon Jansen Van Arsdalen, became a man of standing in his native town."

In Ege's "Pioneers of Old Hopewell," the above substantial facts appear, but there the name of this first ancestor is interpolated as "Isaac." The fact seems overlooked, however, that as his son was "Symon Jansen," it should prove that, if the story be otherwise correct, the man who first came over was Jan Van Arsdalen and not "Isaac." Mr. Ege (now deceased) says that "all the family records have been preserved for a period of two hundred and fifty years," but no clue is given as to by whom.

Bergen, in his "Early Settlers of King's County" (p. 309), and also in his later "Bergen Family" (p. 308), states that "Symon Janse Van Arsdalen" emigrated in 1656 and is "the common ancestor" of the family in this country. As to his being "the common ancestor," Mr. Bergen is certainly correct, for even if his father preceded him, nevertheless as he

[1]There has also been a different line in Bedminster twsp., represented by the late Daniel Van Arsdale, who d. 1895, aged 83, and whose wife was Elizabeth R. Tingley. This line has not been considered, and it is not known to the writer who its ancestors were, but of course it runs back to Symon, the "common ancestor."

is stated to have had but one son, Symon, this would make of Symon a "common ancestor."

Now the certain fact is that Symon was not a native; was not born in this country, but arrived here in the year 1653, as proven by the official roll of those taking the oath of allegiance at Flatlands between Sept. 26 and 30, 1687. He is thereon enrolled as—

"Simon Janse Van Aerts Daalen 34 Jeare."

This means that he had been 34 years in this country. All others on the roll who were born in America are classed as "native." (See "Doc. Hist. of N. Y., Vol. I, p. 431).

It is uncertain how old Symon (using his own spelling of his Christian name) was when he arrived. He may have come with his father, but it cannot be that his father married in this country and then Simon was born here. From another entry in the same family manuscript quoted from above, it is clear Symon must have been at least twenty-one when he received a deed for land in 1660. This statement is:

"March 27, 1660, he [Symon] received by conveyance from Jacob, Peter and William Conover [Cowenhoven] a tract of land in Flatlands. On May 28, 1675, he received a tract in the same town from Governor Stuyvesant and Usian Bircan."

He was also a magistrate in 1661. So we assume Symon was born about 1638, if not earlier, and in Holland. We consider, therefore, that he heads the family in America, and believe his father's name was Jan.

Before taking up Symon's family, it may be well to state what that careful historian, James Riker, Jr., says in his "Annals of Newtown" (p. 307):

"The Van Arsdale family derive their origin from Jan Van Arsdale, a Knight of Holland, who, in 1211, erected the castle (now county house) Arsdale, and from it took his name. His armorial bearings now constitute the public arms of the bailiwick of Arsdale. From him descended Symon Jansen Van Arsdalen, who emigrated to New Amsterdam in 1653 and located at Flatlands, where he served as a civil magistrate and an elder of the Dutch church; and our records prove him to have been a person of means, education and influence. He died about 1710, leaving sons Cornelius and John, from whom the entire Van Arsdale family in this country have sprung."

This, agreeing with Bergen, confirms what we have already said of Symon. According to Bergen he signed his name to documents "Symon Jansen Van Arsdalen." The spelling of his surname on the allegiance roll indicates that it was pronounced Van Ars-doll-an," giving to

the "a" its broad sound, so that in Dutch the modern name would be Ars-doll and not Ars-dale.

The reference to the coat-of-arms of the ancient family is that which Riker states appeared in a bookplate of 1703. In the usual Holland work containing coats-of-arms it does not appear. However, it is stated that, some years ago, the wife of ex-Governor Bedle brought from Holland a copy, and a reproduction of it has been made by a Plainfield artist for some members of the Van Arsdale family. The same has an irregular shield, with the usual four quarters. The first and fourth quarters consist of arrow heads upon a silver ground; the other quarters are plain red. The crest is a helmet, surmounted by what may be feathers, but has more the appearance of a tree. There is much other ornamentation in silver and gold, as was the custom in early Dutch and German armorials.

As in most Dutch families a claim is said to have been made to land on Manhattan by some Van Arsdales in the early part of last century. It is thus stated by a descendant, who has written to us from Nebraska: "The Van Arsdales had a claim on [at] Hell Gate, Manhattan Island; collected manuscripts and Bibles enough to fill a wagon to prove it; but the lawyer died, or something happened, and it came to naught. This was an old tale when my grandfather was young." The story may well be relegated to oblivion now, as it was probably the attempt of some attorney to make money.

In relation to the change of name from Van Arsdalen (often written Van Aersdalen) to Van Arsdale, it came about gradually after the year 1800, so that in many cases it is uncertain how the older members of the various families living between 1800 and 1825 or later signed the surname. The original name in Holland was, as has been stated, Arsdale, and not Arsdalen.

The American line then runs as follows:

1. Symon Jansen Van Arsdalen, who may have been b. in 1638, or earlier, in Holland. He was a magistrate of Flatlands, L. I., in 1661 and again in 1686. In 1677 he was a member of the Flatlands church. In 1687 he took the then-required oath of allegiance to the English crown. He was on the census list in 1698, and, it has been stated, died "about 1710," but we have seen no proof of his name on the records after 1701. Riker may have had some authority for fixing the "about 1710" date, unless it is a misprint.

Simon Jansen married Pieterje Wyckoff, daughter of Claes Cornelissen Wyckoff, and Margaret Van der Goss. She was born in this country, but her father emigrated hither in 1636. (See last Quarterly, p. 50).

CHILDREN OF SYMON J. VAN ARSDALEN (1) AND PIETERJE WYCKOFF:
(Order unknown)

2. GEERTJE, b. about 1660; m. Oct. 13, 1678, her cousin, Cornelis Pieterse Wyckoff, son of Pieter Claes Wyckoff and Grietje Van Ness. They resided at New Lotts, and their numerous children are well known. Four of their sons settled in Somerset in Franklin twsp., on 1,200 acres of land which Cornelis purchased. (See QUARTERLY, Vol. IV, p. 130 et seq.).

3. CORNELIS, of Flatlands, through whom the Somerset lines are derived, b. (perhaps about) 1662; d. 1745, as his will was probated in New York City April 19, 1745; m. (1) Tjelletje Rynierse Wizzelpenning; (2), Mar. 16, 1687, Aeltje Kouwenhoven; (3), May 2, 1691, Marretje Dirkse (parentage unknown). It is certain that Cornelius took the oath of allegiance when his father died (1687), and on the roll was entered thus: "Cornelis Simonsen Van Aerts daalen, native." Except that he had a farm at Flatlands, and one at Gravesend purchased of his father in 1700, and d. leaving a will of April 25, 1738, probated Apr. 19, 1745, we have no further knowledge of him than above stated.

As to Cornelis' first wife, a Wizzelpenning, we have no knowledge. Aeltje Kouwenhoven was b. Dec. 14, 1665 and d. about 1689, and was the dau. of William Gerretsen Couwenhoven (so signed his name) and Altie, dau. of Joris Dircksen Brinckerhoff. Marritje Dirckse may have been an Amerman, the dau. of Derck Jansen Amerman and Aeltje Paulus Vander Beeck, who emigrated in 1650 and settled in Flatlands, but this is uncertain.

While Cornelis, himself, never resided in Franklin twsp. (Somerset co.), it may be he purchased land there on which to settle a son, as in 1735 a Cornelius was taxed in Franklin on 200 acres of land. Or that may have been his nephew, son of his brother Jan.

In his will Cornelis made his wife "Maritie," sole executor, and gave to her all his estate, real and personal, for life; to his eldest son, Dirck, a silver tankard as his birthright; then, after his wife's death, the estate to his ten children, who are named, from which recitation of names we know their order of birth, except that the sons are all mentioned first and then the daughters. As to "Jannetie," whom he stated was by a "former wife," as she had had her mother's inheritance, she was not to share in anything further coming from her father's last wife.

4. JANNETJE, b. about 1670; m. (1), John ———; (2), Apr. 16, 1689, Gysbert Bogaert (son of Teunis, common ancestor of the Bogart family), a magistrate of Brooklyn. Several ch.

5. JAN, of Flatlands; sup. to have had four wives, Jannetje Dorlant, Lammetje Probasko, Sarah Van Voorhees and Libertje Newberrie.

(See Bergen's "Early Settlers," p. 308). He d. in Jamaica, L. I., having been a leading member of the Flatlands Dutch church. Is said to have had six sons, JOHN,[2] CHRISTOPHER, ABRAHAM and NICHOLAS. The writer judges Christopher was the Christoffel, who m. Magdalen Reynierson (see QUARTERLY, Vol. VI, p. 55) and who was one of the earliest members (1717) of the Dutch church at New Brunswick, his sons being JOHN, OKIE, CORNELIUS (these three had ch. bapt. at Six-Mile Run) and CHRISTOFFEL, Jr., of near Millstone. In 1735 Christoffel, Sr., lived in Franklin twsp., Somerset co., but was not a land owner. In 1745 he owned 200 acres there. ("Our Home," pp. 343, 406). As before stated, a Cornelis also in 1735 owned 200 acres of land in Franklin twsp. Abraham and Nicholas, sons of Jan (5) settled in Southampton twsp., Bucks co., Pa.

6. MARRETJE; m. Jan Barendse, of Flatlands.

7. SIMON (sup.). A JOHN, whose eldest son was Simon, d. at Jamaica, L. I., in 1756, and we suppose his father to have been a Simon.

8. MATJE; m. Evert Van Marklen, of Flatlands.

CHILD OF CORNELIS VAN ARSDALEN (3) AND AELTJE KOUWENHOVEN:

9. JANNETJE, b. about 1690; m., Sept. 17, 1709, Dirck Barkeloo, (son of William, common Barcalow ancestor), who d. 1744. Resided at Freehold, N. J., after about 1710.

CHILDREN OF CORNELIS VAN ARSDALEN (3) AND MARRETJE DIRKSE:

[Order only certain as to sons and daughters]

10. ALTIE; m., Sept. 19, 1719, Jeronimus Rapalje (son of Teunis Rapalje and Sarah Van Veghten). They resided at New Brunswick and had several ch.

11. DIRCK. Probably settled near Three-Mile Run, Somerset co., N. J. A Dirck was there in 1723, and was deacon in 1734 and 1736 in the Dutch ch. in New Brunswick. Not further traced.

12. JAN; d. 1750; settled on the Harlingen, N. J., tract, in Somerset Co. On May 4, 1741, he and Hendrick Vanderveer jointly purchased Lot No. 21 of Cornelius Van Duyn, of Brooklyn. (Trenton Deeds, Book G 2, p. 494). Will shows he had two wives, the second Mary ———. It was probated May 26, 1750, and names as ch., CORNELIUS, GARRET, JOHANNIS, ISAAC, MARITIE (wife of John Van Nuise), JOHANNA and SARA; also an expected child. His executors were his brother Philip and Nicolas Wyckoff. Second wife living but not named. (Trenton Wills, Book E, p. 350). His ch. Johannis, Jannetje (deceased in 1750) and Johanna were baptized at Readington 1731 and later, and he was a

[2]For mention of some New York State descendants of this John, see Riker's "Newtown," p. 307.

deacon of that church in 1733, and elder in 1736. It is said that the Rev. Cornelius C. Van Arsdale, D. D., prominent minister in Philadelphia (1841-9), who d. in 1856, was Jan's grandson.

13. SIMON, bapt. Aug. 16, 1697; m., Oct. 30, 1716, Yannetje Romeyn. He settled in Bucks co., Pa. Had several ch., and was probably the grandfather of Rev. SIMEON VAN ARTSDALEN (he so wrote his name), pastor of the Readington, N. J., Ref. Dutch ch., 1783-86, who was b. in Bucks co.

14. MARIA. No further trace; living in 1738.

15. PETRONELLA; living in 1738; possibly m. Dirck Van Dyke.

16. PHILIP, b. at Flatbush, L. I., Feb. 25, 1702; d. June 28, 1796; m. (1) Apr. 30, 1726, Jane Van Dyke (dau. of Hendrick and Engeltie Van Dyke, of Red Mills, near Brooklyn, N. Y.), who was b. 1706 and d. Nov. 23, 1743; and (2) April 13, 1750, (license at Trenton dated Apr. 9) Hannah Macknish (or Magnish), of Middlesex co., who d. Sept. 12, 1776.

It is Philip's descending line which is hereinafter treated. What follows is by no means a complete line of Philip's descendants, but is such as has come to the writer's knowledge. Valuable assistance in this has been given by Mrs. Henrietta Huff and Mr. John A. Powelson, of Pluckemin, and others.

Philip must have settled in 1728, soon after his first marriage, within the bounds of the Readington congregation. On May 20, 1728, he received a deed from his father-in-law, Hendrick Van Dyke, for 230 acres of land, adjoining "the brook," Robert Burnett and ——— Dumont. While the exact location is uncertain it is to be judged it was in present Branchburg, possibly in present Hillsborough township, as a Philip Van Arsdale was among the inhabitants of Hillsborough in 1751. This land came afterward into the ownership of John, Philip's son, as in 1793 a sheriff's deed sold it away from John to Philip, Jr., the deed being recorded at Somerville and reciting the earlier deed from Hendrick Van Dyke. (Somerset Deeds, Book A, p. 296). As on Jan. 16, 1783, Philip (presumed to be Philip, Sr.) sold 240 acres of land near Pluckemin to his son Hendrick, it may be Philip spent his later days on this Pluckemin farm. In fact a deed to Johannes Powelson, of near Pluckemin, May 1, 1767, stated it was along the line of Philip Van Arsdalen. The fact that Philip's wife, Jane, joined the Readington church in 1733, and he in 1741, makes it certain, we think, that he originally lived nearer Readington than to either Pluckemin or Somerville, but it is also probable that, before 1767, he had gone to near Pluckemin.

Philip's will of Oct. 23, 1787, was probated Aug. 10, 1796 (Trenton Wills, Book 35, p. 405), but only mentions his four living sons, Hen-

drick, Philip, John and Jacob. As noted below, some of Philip's children were bapt. at Readington (1729-'34) and one at Somerville (1738); but subsequent baptisms have not been discovered. (For ch., see infra).

17. ABRAHAM; d. 1753; m. Maria (perhaps Stryker). He settled near Harlingen. Whether he is the same Abraham who (in such case with an earlier wife) had a wife Catreytje, when a son, WILHELMUS, was bapt. at Somerville in 1737 is not known, but the Abraham of Harlingen left a will of Apr. 4, 1753, probated May 7, 1753 (Trenton Wills, Book F, p. 119) which shows his ch. were ISAAC, WILLIAM, CATHERINE, CORNELIUS, ABRAHAM,[3] and an expected child.

18. JACOBUS; m. Alida Hoagland (dau. of Harmanus Hoagland and Adriana Stoothoff, of Flatbush), who was b. Mar. 19, 1710, and had previously been married. They resided near Harlingen, N. J., and probably had ch., but not traced.

CHILDREN OF PHILIP VAN ARSDALEN (16) AND JANE VAN DYKE:

19. CORNELIUS, b. Apr. 22, 1727, (prob. baptized at Flatlands); d. July 1, 1749.

20. HENDRICK, b. May 10, 1729 (bapt. at Readington); d. Jan. 21, 1811; m. (1) Jane Ditmars, who was b. 1735 and d. 1782; (2) 1788, Mary Terhune Cortelyou (widow of James). Marriage contract with second wife was recorded Apr. 18, 1808, but date was Aug. 12, 1788 (Som. Deeds, Book B, p. 160). Hendrick lived in Bridgewater twsp., Somerset co., along the road from Somerville to Pluckemin, it being the farm directly north of and adjoining that of (at present) John A. Powelson. It contained 240 acres (see under Philip, 16). He also owned the "jail lot" in Somerville, selling it in 1800. The 240-acre farm (or 236 acres of it) he deeded to his son Philip, May 1, 1806. (Som. Deeds, Book E, p. 8). The present owner of this farm is Warren Smith. By 1806, or earlier, Hendrick had removed to Franklin twsp., where he died —probably near or at New Brunswick, where his younger son, Henry H.,

[3]He may or may not be the Colonel Abraham, of the Revolution. The recurrence of the names Abraham, Cornelius, etc., on the early Harlingen, Millstone, Somerville, Readington, Neshanic and New Brunswick records are too puzzling for a disentanglement of relationships in those branches of the Van Arsdale line except after a longer study of records than the present writer has the time to give. In this connection it should be stated that from the vicinity of Harlingen, Neshanic, etc., many of the family left Somerset before the Revolution and settled at Conewago, Pa., the names of such being Abraham, Cornelius, Garret, Isaac, Luke, Simon, etc., the most of them probably being nephews, or grandnephews, of Philip (16). They went, later to the West. The Abraham of the text (son of Abraham, 17), is probably an Abraham who remained in Somerset and married Margaret Kennedy. Some notes on him will be published in our next issue, as such have been furnished by a Western descendant.

brothers Simon and Jacobus, and friend John Stryker.

resided. Hendrick is buried in the First Reformed churchyard at New Brunswick. (For ch., see infra).

21. Maria, b. Dec. 4, 1731 (bapt. at Readington); d. about 1738.

22. Isaac, of near Pluckemin, b. Mar. 20, 1734 (bapt. at Readington); d. July 27, 1776; m. Margaret Stryker (dau. of Abraham Stryker). His will of July 23, 1770, was probat. Aug. 18, 1776. (Trenton Wills, Book 17, p. 381). He seems to have been called "Captain Isaac."[4] For ch., see infra.

23. Philip, b. May 31, 1738 (bapt. at Somerville); d. 1803; m. Alche Stryker. He came into the ownership of 230 acres in 1793 (as stated under his father, Philip, (16), the land being, probably, in present Hillsborough twsp.). His will of June 13, 1803, was probat. Aug. 19, 1803. (Trenton Wills, Book 40, p. 445). I judge this Philip was the "Captain Philip," who was Captain in the First Battalion, Somerset Militia in the Revolution, and whose loss of property by the British was £35 (as per Quarterly, Vol. I, p. 285). (For ch., see infra).

24. John, b. Oct. 9, 1740; d. Oct. 20, 1809; m. Jane Davis. Have not located him. (For ch., see infra).

25. Rev. Jacob, b. Feb. 3 (or 8), 1745; d. Oct. 24, 1803; m. Mary Sutphen (dau. of Dirck Sutphen and Mary Cowenhoven, of Freehold), who was b. 1744 and d. July 1, 1826. He was graduated from Princeton College in 1765; ordained by the Presby. of New Brunswick June 19, 1771; ministered at the Presby. ch. of Kingston, Somerset co., N. J., 1771-1774, and was pastor at Springfield, Essex (now Union) co., 1774-1801. Is buried in the Springfield churchyard. This Springfield church was burned by the British during his pastorate, but he labored on and had a new one built and completed, though it took many years of effort. He wrote his surname "Van Artsdalen." (For ch., see infra).

26. Abraham, b. Sept. 25, 1747; d. Dec. 23, 1747.

[One of the sons of Philip Van Arsdalen and Jane Van Dyke was the father of Dr. Peter Wilson, of New York city, but which son the writer does not know].

Children of Hendrick Van Arsdalen (20) and Jane Ditmars:

27. Dowe, b. Apr. 18, 1758; d. 1776. Said to have been killed (or died from disease) in the Revolutionary War.

28. Aletta, b. Dec. 4, 1760. No further trace.

29. Philip H., farmer of near Pluckemin, b. Dec. 16, 1762; d. Aug.

[4]The Battle of Princeton occurred Jan. 3, 1877. In Snell's "Hunt. and Som.," p. 701, is an account (tradition) taken from the Magill Newark "Journal" articles of about 1870, which speaks of "Captain Isaac" as living during a raid on Pluckemin by the British "just before the Battle of Princeton." But Isaac had died the previous July; hence, if the story be true, it must have been some time before that Battle.

23, 1836; m. (1) Sarah Wortman (dau. of John and Sarah Wortman), who was b. Aug. 9, 1764, d. July 17, 1799; and (2) Mary W. Annin, who was b. Sept. 25, 1760. (As to land received from his father in 1806, see under Hendrick, 20). He was one of the Commissioners appointed to sell the old Lutheran church property at Pluckemin in 1819. Probably he is the Philip who was Collector of Bridgewater twsp. from 1787-1797 and in 1800. (For ch., see infra).

30. Mary, b. Mar. 31, 1766. No further trace.

31. Williampe, b. June 13, 1768; d. July 28, 1858; m. George Vroom, farmer, of near Pluckemin, who was b. Nov. 7, 1758, and d. Sept. 10, 1852. Ch.: Philip, who m. Deborah Tunison, and was father of the late Peter Vroom, of Somerville, long a hardware merchant there, whose son, William, is now President of the Somerville Merchant's Association; Jane V., who m. Shepherd McCoy; Henry, who m. Catharine Voorhees; Aletta, who m. Philip Tunison; Charity, unm.; and Peter, who m. Janet Rowland.

32. Henry H., of New Brunswick, b. June 11, 1770; d. Aug. 31, 1852; m. (1) Zilpha Allen (dau. of John Allen and Mary Reed), who was b. June 11, 1781, and d. Nov. 25, 1841; and (2), Feb. 1843, Maria Van Liew, of Middlebush (dau. of Denice Van Liew and Dinah Duryea), who lived to be over 90 years of age. He was a merchant and is buried in the churchyard of the First Ref. ch. at New Brunswick. (For ch., see infra).

33. Sycke, b. July 21, 1772; m. Jacob Snyder.

34. Margaret, b. Aug. 7, 1779; m. Uriah DeHart, of (perhaps) near Rocky Hill. Ch.: Henry, who m. Cordelia Newton; Jane, who m. Garret Voorhees; Sycke, who m. Isaac Gulick; John, who m. Catherine Berrien.

Children of Isaac Van Arsdalen (22) and Margaret Stryker:

35. Philip I., farmer, of near Pluckemin, b. Mar. 16, 1760; d. Oct. 3, 1804; m. Margaret Wortman (dau. of Peter Wortman and Sarah Van Nest), who was b. June 10, 1761, and d. Mar. 13, 1848. After Philip I.'s death Mrs. Van Arsdale m., Dec. 11, 1816, Bergun Van Doren, his second wife (as to whom, see "The Van Doorn Family," p. 170). Philip I. died intestate, and his lands (about 175 acres, now owned by Bernard Bruckner, florist), were divided by partition among his children in 1817. (For ch., see infra).

36. Ida, b. about 1763; m., Mar. 1, 1781, Joseph Gaston (son of John Gaston and Elizabeth Ker). Resided at Pluckemin. (See further, and as to ch., Quarterly, Vol. V, p. 127).

37. Abraham I., b. about 1765(?); d. 1849; m. Mary Eoff. He

owned Kline's Mills near Pluckemin. He served in Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck's Co. as private, and as sergeant in Capt. Vroom's Co., Somerset Militia, and after the Revolution was probably a Captain of militia.[3] (For ch. and other particulars of Isaac's ch., see the large work on "The Van Doorn Family," p. 433).

38. Isaac. No further trace.

Children of Philip Van Arsdalen (23) and Alche Stryker:

39. Jane; m. Joseph Ten Eyck.

40. Abraham, bapt. Jan. 26, 1778, at Somerville; m. Elizabeth Clarkson. Was living in 1803 on land owned by his father, on which he had built a house (as per his father's will), in the vicinity of Pluckemin. Not further traced.

Children of John Van Arsdalen (24) and Jane Davis:

41. Peter; m. Wilhelmina Benson.

42. John; m., Apr. 5, 1801, Mary Spader. A ch., Philip, was bapt. at Somerville May 9, 1802.

43. Isaac; m. (sup.) Elizabeth R. Van Arsdale (dau. of Rev. Jacob; see Elizabeth R., 51).

44. Hannah.

45. Jane; m. Elias Scudder, (probably son of William Scudder, of Kingston, Somerset Co.).

46. Juda.

47. George.

48. Philip; m. Ann Peterson. (Foregoing families not located).

Children of Rev. Jacob Van Artsdalen (25) and Mary Sutphen:

49. Mary, b. Aug. 11, 1767; d. Feb. 12, 1827; m., Aug. 8, 1793, Grover Coe (son of Capt. Benjamin Coe and Phebe Grover, of Newtown, L. I.), who was b. July 2, 1764, and d. Sept. 14, 1813. He was a merchant at Springfield, N. J. 9 ch.

50. Jane; m. ——— Stewart, of Elizabethtown.

51. Elizabeth Ryerson; m. Isaac Van Arsdale (sup. 43).

52. Elias, of Newark, b. Dec. 13, 1770, at Freehold, N. J.; d. Mar.

[3] In this connection attention is called to an error in the Quarterly, Vol. VII, p. 291 and Vol. VI, p. 104, where this Abraham I. Van Arsdale is stated to have m. Mary Magdalene, dau. of the first Jacob Eoff, and to have d. 1811, after which his widow, Mary, m. Capt. Samuel Boylan. We based this in part on Snell's "Hunt. and Som.," p. 702, and other publications. Since we suppose that Abraham was b. about 1765, perhaps full twenty years after Mary M. Eoff, this of itself would suggest an improbability. But, in addition, we find Abraham I. to have been living in 1814 and later; and his descendant, Mrs. Taylor, writes us that he did not die until Aug., 1849, at Summer Hill, Cayuga co., N. Y., to which place he had removed. This being the case, Mary Eoff, his wife, must have been a granddau. of Jacob Eoff; and it must have been still another Mary Eoff (if that name be correct) who m. Capt. Samuel Boylan.

19, 1846; m. Margaret Johnston (dau. of Robert, of Dutchess co., N. Y.). He grad. from Princeton College in 1791; studied law under Judge Elisha Boudinot, of Newark; was admitted to N. J. Bar in 1795 and always practiced there. Became President of State Bank of Newark in 1812, but continued practice and was eminent in his profession. Degree of LL. D. by Princeton just before his death. (For ch., see infra).

Children of Philip H. Van Arsdalen (29) and Sarah Wortman:

53. Henry P., shoemaker, of Pluckemin, b. Feb. 17, 1788; d. May 8, 1874; m., Dec. 30, 1812, Ida Van Arsdale (dau. of Philip I., 35), who was b. Oct. 24, 1795, and d. Dec. 17, 1855. (For ch., see infra).

54. Sarah Tennis, b. Feb. 17, 1790; m., Dec. 20, 1810, Richard Van Nostrand. Resided at New Brunswick.

55. Jane Ditmars, b. June 9, 1792; m., Mar. 15, 1810, Isaac V. A. Gaston (son of Joseph Gaston and Ida Van Arsdalen, 36), who was b. Sept. 9, 1784, and d. Feb. 11, 1811. He was a farmer and saddler at Pluckemin. One ch., Philip, who was accidentally killed by a gun when a boy.

56. Elizabeth, b. July 12, 1794; d .July 26, 1875; m., Oct. 15, 1812, Peter Van Arsdale (76; whom see).

57. John, b. Sept. 14, 1796; m. Eliza Booraem, of New Brunswick, and resided there. They had a dau., Sarah Augusta, b. 1834, said to have m., 1857, Rev. John H. Suydam, D. D., pastor at Philadelphia, Jersey City, etc.

58. Philip, of North Branch, b. July 5, 1799; m., Jan. 12, 1831, Sarah Little. Ch.: Sarah Jane, who m., Jan. 4, 1855, Bergun D. Vanderbeek, of North Branch; Mary Bell, unm.

Children of Philip H. Van Arsdalen (29) and Mary W. Annin:

59. Mary Ann, b. Mar. 19, 1807; unm.

60. Cornelia H., b. Dec. 23, 1809; m. Rev. Charles Ford (his second wife), of Williamstown, Gloucester co., N. J.

61. Aletta Voorhees, b. July 16, 1812; m., Oct. 30, 1833, James Kirkpatrick, of Newark, N. J.

62. Catharine Gaston, b. Jan. 31, 1816; m., July 23, 1834, Andrew B. Van Deren, of Hackettstown, N. J.

63. Frances Dear, b. June 6, 1818; m., Feb. 3, 1846, Richard Dennis Cook, of Somerville, N. J.

Children of Henry H. Van Arsdale (32) and Zilpha Allen:

64. John, b. May 1, 1800; m., Nov. 10, 1838, Eliza Gilpin, who d. May 23, 1864, in New York City.

65. Jane Ditmars, b. Oct. 27, 1803; d. June 15, 1877; m., May

7, 1883, Nicholas W. Parsell, who was b. Nov. 23, 1797, and d. 1879. Resided at New Brunswick. Ch.: (1) Mary, b. 1824; d. 1917; m. F. M. Schneeweiss, who had ch.: Henry; Oliver; Rev. Frank M. W. (2) Sarah Ross, b. 1826; d. 1874; unm. (3) John N. A., b. 1829; d. 1899; m. Fannie Price. Ch.: Mary, wife of Rev. Wm. M. Legget, of Chatham, N. Y. (4) Jane Elizabeth, b. 1831; living; m. William R. Hill. Ch.: George; Frederick; Max; William. (5) Henry V. A., b. 1833; d. 1901; m. Hannah H. Peters. Ch.: Henry V. A., Jr. Foregoing all of New Brunswick, except Henry V. A., who resided in New York City.

66. Mary, b. July 7, 1808; m., June 30, 1835, John J. Brown. Ch.: Mary R.; Chichester, who m. Ellen White; Catherine.

67. Henry, b. Jan. 10, 1809; d. June 12, 1810.

68. Richard Allen, b. May 11, 1811; d. 1892; m., 1834, Jane Van Doren. Resided at New Brunswick. Ch.: John; Anne (who m. Hervey McDonald); Letitia; Robert V. (who m. Emma Bristol).

69. Henry (second), of New York City, b. Jan. 25, 1814; m., May 6, 1845, Anna Hillman. Ch.: William H., of Chicago, b. 1846; John, b. 1848 and d. 1873; Catherine, b. 1851; d. 1874; m., June 13, 1872, George Chambers.

70. Elizabeth, b. Aug. 15, 1818; d. Jan. 9, 1821.

71. Margaret, b. June 3, 1820; d. Feb. 17, 1826.

Children of Philip I. Van Arsdalen (35) and Margaret Wortman:

72. Isaac P., farmer, of Pluckemin, b. Sept. 23, 1782; d. Oct. 12, 1851; m., Nov. 3, 1808, Laura Lane (dau. of Matthew Lane and Maria Johnson), who was b. Oct. 20, 1787, and d. Jan. 1858. His farm, which was his father's, is now owned by Bernard Bruckner, florist, being the second farm north of that of present John A. Powelson. Presumably he purchased his brothers' and sisters' shares in this farm. (See Philip I., 35). (For ch., see infra).

73. Sarah, b. June 17, 1785; m. (1) Tunis Van Derveer, farmer, of North Branch (son of John Van Derveer and Jane Van Pelt), who was b. about 1782 and d. 1822; and (2) Garret Stryker, of Flatlands, N. Y. Ch.: 1. John T., of North Branch, b. 1806; d. 1867; m., 1833, Margaret Field, of Lamington, who d. 1883, and had ch.: Tunis; Sarah Elizabeth; Richard; James; Samuel; William; John; Mary. 2. Philip, of Readington, b. 1808; d. 1887; m., 1832, Aletta Van Nest (dau. of Abraham Van Nest and Christiana Wortman), and had ch.: Abram; Sarah; Jane; Christiana; Tunis; Caroline; Elia; Margaret; Jerome. 3. Dr. James, of North Branch, physician, b. 1810; d. Mar. 4, 1865;

m., 1835, Margaret Van Nest (sister of Aletta above), who d. Aug. 17, 1904, and had ch.: Henry; Margaret; Christiana; Garreta; Mary; Jane; James; Louisa (Mrs. Henry B. Van Nest). 4. Jane Maria, of Trenton, b. 1815; m. Samuel B. Gaston (for whom see QUARTERLY, Vol. V., pp. 130, 199).

74. MARGARET, b. July 15, 1787; d. Sept. 27, 1843 (or 1845); m., Dec. 28, 1809, Abraham Van Doren (son of Bergun Van Doren and Neltje Voorhees), who was b. Aug. 7, 1786, and d. Apr. 21, 1856. He removed to Farmer Village, N. Y., and had 8 ch. (See "The Van Doorn Family," pp. 99, 100).

75. CATHARINE, b. July 25, 1789; d. Aug. 23, 1888, at Absaraka, No. Dakota; m., Jan. 9, 1812, John C. Powelson (son of Cornelius Powelson and Catherine Sutphen), who resided in N. Y. City after his marriage until 1818, then near Rochester, N. Y., and later removed from Lockport, N. Y., to Galesburg, Michigan. Ch.: 1. Margaret, of Lowell, Mich., b. 1812; m. ——— Cuykendall. 2. Cornelius, b. 1813; d. in infancy. 3. Abraham V., of Edmore, Mich., b. 1817; m. ———. 4. Cornelius (2nd), of Galesburg, Mich., b. 1819; m. Margaret Howland. 5. Isaac V., of Absaraka, N. Dak., b. 1822; d. 1888; m. Sarah Elizabeth Allen. 6. Joseph Stoll, of Plainfield, N. J., b. near Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 14, 1824; d. Dec. 21, 1901; m., 1854, Sarah Van Arsdale (100, whom see). He spelled his name Powlison, as do his descendants. Ch.: John Augustus, of North Plainfield, recently of Powlison and Jones, furniture dealers; Martha, of North Plainfield, who m. Anthony C. Laboyteaux; Charles Ford, of Lakehurst, who m. Harriet West; has been active in Y. M. C. A. work; is now Secretary of the New York Childs Welfare Society. 7. Gilbert, of Traverse City, Mich., b. 1826; he m. ———. 8. Philip E.; d. in infancy. 9. John V., of Durand, Mich., b. 1831; m. ———. 10. Martha E., of Galesburg, Mich.; deceased; unm.

76. PETER, of near Pluckemin, b. Oct. 16, 1791; d. Jan. 24, 1880; m., Oct. 15, 1812, Elizabeth Van Arsdale (dau. of Philip H., 29), who was b. July 12, 1794, and d. July 26, 1875. (For ch., see infra).

77. ABRAHAM P., b. Sept. 7, 1793; d. Sept. 15, 1817; unmarried.

78. IDA, b. Oct. 24, 1795; d. Dec. 17, 1855; m., Dec. 30, 1812, Henry P. Van Arsdale (53, whom see).

79. MARIA, b. Sept. 21, 1798; d. Oct. 9, 1747; m. Andrew Van Pelt, farmer, of North Branch (son of Ruliff Van Pelt and Catherine Ten Eyck), who was b. 1798, and d. Apr. 4, 1854. Ch.: 1. Ralph, b. Feb. 14, 1820; m. Mary Hall. 2. Catherine Aletta, b. 1824; m., 1842, Jacob Van Doren Powelson (son of John A. Powelson and Alche Van Doren), who was b. 1818 and d. 1889. He was long a ruling elder in the Pluckemin Presby. church. 3. Sarah V. D., b. Apr. 21, 1829; m.

James Barkman, of New York. 4. Margaret, b. June 28, 1831; m. Christopher Stryker, of North Branch. 5. James V. D., b. Jan. 4, 1842; unm.; was a member of the wholesale dry goods firm of Cornell, Amerman & Van Pelt, of New York. 6. Jane Eliza, b. Dec. 15, 1843; m. Stephen Beach, Jr., of Pluckemin, and is the only member of the foregoing family living; resides at Natick, Mass.

80. DINAH, b. Oct. 2, 1800; m. Nathaniel Hixson, and removed to Lockport, N. Y. Ch.: Arvilla; Mary; Cornelia; Almeda; Nathan; Philip and others.

81. ELIAS BROWN, b. Apr. 3, 1803; d. Feb. 11, 1852; m., Dec. 6, 1823, Sarah N. Layton (probably dau. of Anthony Layton and Mary Lane), who was b. July 24, 1802, and d. Dec. 25, 1886. They resided at Bound Brook, and later in life at Pluckemin. He was one of the organizing members and first officials of the Reformed church at South Bound Brook in 1848. He also, before going to Bound Brook, taught school near Pluckemin. (For ch., see infra).

CHILDREN OF ABRAHAM I. VAN ARSDALE (37) AND MARY EOFF:

81a. ABRAHAM B., b. and d. 1790.

82. ISAAC, b. June 13, 1791; d. Sept. 28, 1844; m. Oct. 12, 1809, Maria Van Doren (dau. of Jacob Van Doren and Maria Melick), who was b. June 20, 1791, and d. Aug. 10, 1849. Mr. Van Arsdale first resided in West Va., but later at Fleming, N.Y. (For ch., see infra).

CHILDREN OF ELIAS VAN ARSDALE (52) AND MARGARET JOHNSTON:

82a. ELIAS, Jr., of Newark, b. ——— 1801; d. ——— 1854; unm. He gradu. from Princeton College, 1819; was adm. to New Jersey Bar, 1822; was Clerk of Essex co., 1827-'39, and succeeded his father in 1846 as President of the State Bank of Newark.

82b. WILLIAM, of New York City, b. Sept. 30, 1802; d. May 22, 1885; unm.

82c. ELIZA MATILDA, b. May 19, 1804; d. Nov. 6, 1806.

82d. MARGARET ADELINE, b. Aug. 26, 1805; d. May 1, 1806.

82e. ROBERT, of Newark, b. ——— 1807; d. Dec. 24, 1873; unm. He also grad. from Princeton, 1826; was adm. to the N. J. Bar, 1829.

82f. EDWARD, of Newark, b. Mar. 31, 1813; d. Mar. 4, 1849; unm.

82g. JACOB, of Newark, b. Sept. 3, 1815; d. Mar. 23, 1864; m. Julia C. Cumming (dau. of Rev. Hooper Cumming, of Newark). He also grad. from Princeton, 1835, and was adm. to N. J. Bar, 1838; was Prosecutor of the Pleas of Essex co. 1852-7.

82h. HENRY, physician, of Morristown, b. Sept. 6, 1819; d. Jan. 25, 1864; m., Dec. 11, 1849, Hester Ann Wetmore (dau. of Charles J. Wetmore, of Morristown). (For ch., see infra).

Children of Henry P. Van Arsdale (53) and Ida Van Arsdale:

83. Sarah, b. Nov. 29, 1813; d. Apr. 4, 1853; m., Mar. 14, 1832, James Low, of North Branch, who d. Aug. 31, 1881, at Fairview, Ill., to which place he removed after Sarah's death. Ch.: Ida Maria; Margaret Ten Brook; John; Henry Van Arsdale; George; Isaac Fisher; James Beekman; Frederick.

84. Zilpha, b. Mar. 21, 1816; d. July 26, 1869; unm.

85. Mary, b. Oct. 19, 1818; d. Nov. 8, 1910; m. Rev. Abram D. Wilson (his second wife), who was b. at Amwell, N. J., Nov. 15, 1789, and d. July 21, 1876, at Fairview, Ill., where he was called the "father of Western missions" of the Reformed church. (See Corwin's "Manual," 4th Ed., p. 914). Mary returned to New Jersey after Mr. Wilson's death.

86. Philip, salesman, b. June 30, 1821; d. Oct. 14, 1860; m. Phebe L. Voorhees. Resided at Somerville and Washington, D. C. (For ch., see infra).

87. Isaac, of Zion, Cecil co., Maryland, farmer, b. Nov. 29, 1823; d. July 4, 1910; m. (1) Mary P. Smock, and (2) Marion Larzelier. Ch.: Gertrude, b. May 21, 1851; Mary, b. Oct. 25, 1856.

88. Jane Eliza, b. Nov. 19, 1832; d. Jan. 7, 1863; unm.

89. Margaret, b. May 16, 1830; d. Dec. 31, 1912; m. (1) May 7, 1857, Abner R. Smith, of Zion, Md., and (2) Thomas Minor, of Virden, Ill. Ch. (by A. R. Smith): Ida, b. 1858; Kate, b. 1860; Lizzie, b. 1860; Stephen Alfred, b. 1861; Mary Nunn, b. 1863. (By T. M.): Charlotte; Harriet; Zilpha.

90. Peter, b. Dec. 18, 1835; d. Aug. 9, 1836.

91. Henrietta, of Pluckemin, b. Apr. 15, 1843; living; m., Jan. 6, 1864, David L. R. Hoff, farmer, who was b. Mar. 13, 1838, and d. Dec. 31, 1815. Mrs. Hoff resides at Pluckemin in Summer, and at Roselle in Winter, and has given the writer much information used in this article. Ch.: 1. Ida Larue. 2. Charlotte Melick. 3. Elizabeth Dockson, who m., Oct. 10, 1894, Isaac Van Cleef, and has ch.: Edgar Milton, private in U. S. Army, who m., June 30, 1918, Nettie I. Cook; Margaret Fraser; Arthur Abram. 4. Margaret, who m., Oct. 12, 1899, Caleb Douglas Fraser, and has ch.: Mary Douglas; Margaret; Margaret Melick. 5. Charles Henry, who m., Oct. 12, 1904, Lillie May Amerman. 6. Mary Van Arsdale, who d. Oct. 19, 1896.

Children of Isaac P. Van Arsdale (72) and Laura Lane:

92. Philip I., farmer, of Pluckemin, b. Aug. 29, 1809; d. Mar. 13, 1885; m., Nov. 3, 1859, Ann N. Hardenbergh (dau. of Garret B. Hardenbergh and Catherine Hill, and granddau. of Rev. Charles Hardenbergh, pastor at Bedminster 1802-20), who was b. Mar. 22, 1834, and is living. (For ch., see infra).

93. Rev. Jacob R., b. Sept. 13, 1811; d. 1871; m. Martha Dawes, of Stanton, Hunterdon co., N. J. He grad. from Rutgers College in 1830, and from the New Brunswick Seminary in 1833, and was pastor of Reformed churches at Berne, N. Y., (2nd church) 1834-5; Mt. Pleasant (Stanton), N. J., 1835-'50; Tyre, N. Y., 1850-'64; without charge, 1864-'71. (For ch., see infra).

94. Maria, b. Nov. 2, 1813; m. Peter Van Nest, of Millstone, N. J.

95. Margaret, b. June 4, 1822; m., Dec. 5, 1860, Ruliff Voorhees, farmer, of Pluckemin. Has dau., Mary, living, unm.

Children of Peter Van Arsdale (76) and Elizabeth Van Arsdale:

96. Margaret, b. Oct. 20, 1813; d. ——— 1878; m., Oct. 3, 1843, Abraham Vroom, farmer, of Pluckemin (son of Philip Vroom and Deborah Tunison), who was b. Mar. 12, 1818, and d. Apr. 3, 1878. Ch.: 1. Peter, of Pluckemin; living; m. (1) Louise M. Lane (deceased), and (2) Elizabeth Herman. Six ch. 2. Philip A., of Plainfield; living.

97. Philip P., b. May 16, 1816; d. 1900; m. (1) Nov. 21, 1838, Ann Kirkpatrick, who was b. Nov. 21, 1838, and d. Jan. 25, 1878; and (2), 1880, Mary Emma Cook, artist, (dau. of Thomas Cook and Mary C. Cook, of Newark, N. J.), who is living at 301 E. Front St., Plainfield, N. J. Philip P. was a music teacher, and famous as a leader of music classes and of Sunday School singing. He resided in various places—at Pluckemin at first; then at Newark, New York, Pluckemin; then had charge of music in Lafayette College and opened a music store in Easton; ten years later went to Jersey City to take charge of the music in the Reformed Dutch church there, and taught classes in music in the Y. M. C. A. From Jersey City he went to Plainfield (about 1879) and lived a retired life until his death. He was also the author of some Sunday School hymns and music. One who remembered Philip P. well seventy-five years ago says of him: "My memory runs back to my boyhood in the '40's, when this gentleman taught in successive Winters a public singing-school in my village. He was then accounted a 'sweet singer in Israel,' and very distinctly do I recall his appearance on the platform as, with elevated arm, he struck the first high notes of 'Joy, joy to the World!' Young couples marched arm in arm to and from that school on cold Winter nights who are now gray-haired great-grandparents." (For ch., see infra).

98. Jane Ditmars, b. Sept. 1, 1818; m., Nov. 18, 1841, Brogan Covert Amerman, a wheelwright and undertaker of Pluckemin, who was b. 1817 and d. 1902. Ch.: Martha Covert, who m., Jan. 13, 1876, John Dolliver, and resides in North Plainfield, N. J., and had one son, John Covert, b. June 1, 1881, and d. Aug. 29, 1894.

99. Tunis Van Derveer, farmer, of Pluckemin, b. Apr. 29, 1821; d. Jan., 1885; m. (1) Sept. 29, 1842, Sarah DeMott (dau. of John De Mott and Lydia Kirkpatrick), who was b. Nov. 9, 1822, and d. Jan. 27, 1848; and (2), Apr. 24, 1850, Magdalen Vosseller (dau. of Jacob Vosseller and Sarah Deforest), who was b. Jan. 23, 1829, and d. Sept. 16, 1913. The Van Derveer farm was due west of the farm of Philip H. Van Arsdalen (29), on the road from Pluckemin to North Branch. (For ch., see infra).

100. Sarah, b. Aug. 10, 1823; d. Aug. 21, 1916; m., May 18, 1854, Joseph Stoll Powlison (son of John C. Powelson and Catherine Van Arsdalen, 75), who was b. near Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 14, 1824, and d. Dec. 21, 1901. He was a sash and blind manufacturer and undertaker at Pluckemin and Bound Brook, and, finally, kept a furniture store at Plainfield. (For ch., see under Catherine, 75).

101. Bergun Van Doren, farmer, of Peapack, N. J., b. Mar. 29, 1826; d. Mar., 1867; m., Sept. 1848, Susan Jemima Crater, who was b. Jan. 7, 1832, and d. July 3, 1895. (For ch., see infra).

102. Ida Maria, b. Jan. 21, 1829; d. Aug. 8, 1830.

103. Eliza Sloan, b. June 22, 1831; d. Sept. 11, 1833.

104. Mary Ann, b. May 8, 1834; d. 1881; m., June 11, 1873, Stewart Brown, merchant, of Pluckemin, who was b. 1839, in Antrim co., Ireland, came to America in 1851 and d. 1915. No ch. Mr. Brown, later, married Lydia Van Arsdale McMurtry (see Lydia, 141).

Children of Elias B. Van Arsdale (81) and Sarah N. Layton:

105. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 22, 1824; d. Mar. 29, 1842, at Bound Brook, N. J.

106. Margaret, b. Feb. 17, 1826; d. at Philadelphia, Nov. 20, 1882; m., Oct. 1, 1849, Dennis S. Messler, of Pluckemin, who d. at Philadelphia about 1901. Ch.: Laura; Edward; Anna, who m. (1) John Hess, and (2) Ira Van Arsdale, of Plainfield (son Peter 111).

107. Abraham, farmer of Pluckemin, b. Dec. 14, 1827; d. Aug. 29, 1891; m., Nov. 8, 1854, Jane Van Nest, who was b. 1826 and d. May 10, 1911. (For ch., see infra).

108. Laura Maria, b. Feb. 20, 1830; d. Nov. 2, 1904; m., Oct. 1, 1851, Rev. Henry William Felton Jones, who was b. at Antiqua, W. I., June 9, 1829, and d. Sept., 1915. He was pastor of the Bergen Point Ref. ch. 1860-'84, and of the First Presby. ch. there 1884-1901, when he retired. Ch.: Walter; Addison; John Polhemus; Frederick Van Liew, of Plainfield, who m. Anna Talliaferro; Rev. Henry Titus, of Coeymans, N. Y., who m. Mabel Large, of Whitehouse, N. J.; Marianne,

of Cranford, N. J., who m. Elmer E. Bigoney; Charles Stephen, unm.; Laura Anna.

109. Anthony Layton, b. Jan. 10, 1832; d. Apr. 28, 1833.

110. Philip, farmer, of Batavia, Ill., b. Dec. 16, 1833; d. Aug. 1, 1901; m. (1) Oct. 8, 1856, Elsie Voorhees, of Middlebush, N. J., who d. 1868; and (2) Sophia Van Liew, of Batavia. (No ch. by S. V. L.). (For ch. by E. V., see infra).

111. Peter E., farmer, of Plainfield, N. J., b. Feb. 7, 1836; d. Aug. 14, 1900; m., Oct. 24, 1861, Sarah Elizabeth Vroom, of Pluckemin, who was b. July 5, 1840, and d. Jan. 2, 1911. (For ch., see infra).

112. Rev. Nathaniel Hixson, D. D., of 76 DeMott Ave., Clifton, N. J., b. Apr. 6, 1838; living; m., Sept. 1, 1868, Harriet Walton Hasbrouck, of High Falls, N. Y., who is living. Dr. Van Arsdale was b. at Bound Brook, N. J., where his parents resided until they removed to Pluckemin; graduated from Rutgers College 1862, and from the New Brunswick Seminary 1867; had Reformed ch. pastorates at Clove, N. Y., 1867-74; Chatham, N. Y., 1874-80; Paterson (Broadway ch.), 1881-95; Greenwood Heights, Brooklyn, 1899-1901; Athenia, N. J., 1901-09. He became Associate Editor of the "Christian Intelligencer" in Jan., 1883, and Editor-in-Chief Apr. 1, 1909, retiring July 1, 1917, although still (1919) a contributing Editor. Degree by Rutgers in 1889. (For ch., see infra).

113. Ann DeGroote, of Paterson, N. J., b. Dec. 25, 1843; d. Jan. 3, 1888; m. Warren L. Sell.

Children of Isaac Van Arsdale (82) and Maria Van Doren:

114. Abraham Isaac, of Castile, N. Y.; m. Maria Noxen.

115. Mary Van Doren, of Auburn, N. Y.; m. (1) James McMurren; (2) Dr. Frank H. Hamilton.

116. Jacob Van Doren, of Castile, N. Y.; m. Eliza M. Noxen.

117. Andrew Mellick, of Baltimore, Md.; m. (1) Rachel Ann Dillon; (2) Mary E. Wolfe.

118. Margaret Stryker, of Bound Brook, N. J.; m. Nathaniel Alward. (Mrs. William J. Taylor, now of Orange, formerly of Bound Brook, a dau.).

119. Katherine Kearney; unm.

120. John Quincy Adams, of Colton, Cal.; m. Jane Coalter Brown.

121. William Kearney, of Saratoga, N. Y.; m. Elizabeth Wilber.

122. Elizabeth Voorhees, of Bound Brook; unm.

123. Henry Vanderveer, of Auburn, N. Y.; m. Harriet Janette Perry.

(Full dates of above, and ch., may be found in "The Van Doorn Family" (1909), p. 433).

CHILDREN OF DR. HENRY VAN ARSDALE (82H) AND HESTER A. WETMORE:

123a. HENRY, of 44 Avon Ave., Newark, N. J., b. Dec. 26, 1851; living; m. Alice H. White. Ch.: 1. HESTER ANNE, b. May 20, 1887; unm. 2. HENRY, JR., b. Feb. 1, 1889; unm.; resides at 25 W. 44th St., New York City. 3. ALICE MAUDE, b. Jan. 12, 1893; unm.

123b. WILLIAM WALDO, of New York City, b. Nov. 17, 1855; d. Mar. 17, 1899; m. Edith K. White.

CHILDREN OF PHILIP VAN ARSDALE (86) AND PHEBE L. VOORHEES:

124. IRA, b. Nov. 21, 1844; d. young.

125. JOHN, b. Oct. 22, 1846; d. young.

126. ISAAC, b. Feb. 1, 1848; d. young.

127. ANNIE H., b. Jan. 25, 1850; deceased; m. Thomas Songster. Ch.: Thomas.

128. JOSEPH S., of "Imperial," Columbia Road, Washington, D. C., b. Dec. 26, 1851; living; m. Anna P. Green. He has been for some forty years in an important position in the Treasury Department at Washington. Ch.: JOSEPH, of Hartford, Conn.; ALICE, of Seattle, Wash.; GEORGE, of Boston, Mass.; EMILY, of Washington (the first three married).

129. WILLIAM W., b. Nov. 4, 1853; deceased; m. Annie V. Roberts, who resides in Baltimore.

130. CHARLES ELSTON, b. Oct. 29, 1855; deceased; m. Mary Knox. Ch.: NINA, m. and living at Chevy Chase, Md.

131. IDA, b. Jan. 30, 1858; living at 1759 Columbia Road, Washington; unm.

132. THOMAS PHILIP, b. Jan. 30, 1860; living; unm.

CHILDREN OF PHILIP I. VAN ARSDALE (92) AND ANN N. HARDENBERGH:

133. LAURA, b. Dec. 10, 1860; m., May 31, 1882, John Kugler; resides Three Bridges, N. J.

134. SARAH, b. Aug. 25, 1865; m., Sept. 5, 1885, Abram Hardenbergh; resides Neshanic, N. J.

135. ELMER, b. June 24, 1860; m., Aug. 1, 1888, Annie Able; resides Bernardsville, N. J. Ch.: RAYMOND, b. Mar. 5, 1889; m., Sept. 14, 1914, Margaret Kutz, of Tunkhannock, Pa.

136. ADA, b. Nov. 24, 1872; unm.; resides Pluckemin.

CHILDREN OF REV. JACOB VAN ARSDALE (93) AND MARTHA DAWES:

MARY; m. Jacob Nearpass. Ch.: Annie, Frank, Isabel, Jacob, Isaac, Carrie.

Laura; living; m. Oscar G. Smith. Ch.: Norwood, Martha, Emma, Laura, Rhoda, Oscar, Mabel.

Jane; living; m. William Mills. Ch.: Fanny, George, Maud, Charles, Jesse.

James; m. Hannah Avery. Ch.: William, Arthur.

Amy; m. Albert Haney. Ch.: Victor, Laura, Albert.

Isaac; d. young.

George; d. young.

Margaret; d. young.

Ellen; m. Frederick Teller. Ch.: Guy, James.

Annie; m. James Goodell. Ch.: Judson, Grover, Edwin, Gertrude, Rowland, Mattie.

Louisa; living; unm.

John; living; m. Mary ———. Ch.: Mary.

[All the foregoing ch. of Rev. Jacob are deceased, except those stated as living. Names received too late for consecutive numbering].

Children of Philip P. Van Arsdale (97) and Ann Kirkpatrick:

137. Peter, b. Mar. 6, 1841; d. July 3, 1843.

138. John Kirkpatrick, of Plainfield,, b. Dec. 23, 1844; d. 1894; m. Sarah Elliott, who resides in North Plainfield, N. J. He entered Lafayette College, but grad. from Rutgers, 1864. He was long connected with the Chatham National Bank of New York City. Ch.: Annie; Josephine; Bessie; Elliot.

139. Elizabeth, b. Apr. 14, 1847; d. 1885; m. Henry Carpenter, of Plainfield, who is deceased. Ch.: Raymond Van Arsdale.

Child of Philip P. Van Arsdale (97) and Mary Emma Cook:

140. Philip, of Milford, N. J., teacher and farmer, b. Sept. 24, 1884; living; m., 1908, Rachel Oatman. Is said to have studied at Rutgers, and then grad. from Brown University, afterward attending the New York Univ. Law School. Ch.: Wilhelmina, b. 1910.

Children of Tunis V. D. Van Arsdale (99) and Sarah DeMott:

141. Lydia, b. July 15, 1843; living; m. (1) Feb. 7, 1865, James McMurtry, of Bernardsville, who was b. July 29, 1823, and d. Nov. 6, 1875; and (2) Stewart Brown, of Pluckemin. (See under 104). Ch. (by J. McM.): Minnie, who m. James Woods; Harvey, who m. Mary Van Duyn.

142. Eliza, b. July 18, 1846; d. May 4, 1916; m. (1) Sept. 21 1865, William Henry Nicholas, of Marengo, Ia., who d. 1867; and (2) Dec. 3, 1873, William Ker Gaston, of Somerville, N. J. Ch. (by W. H.

N.): Rev. Vanderveer V. A. Nicholas, of Midland, Mich. (For ch. by W. K. G., see QUARTERLY, Vol. V, p. 207).

CHILDREN OF TUNIS V. D. VAN ARSDALE (99) AND MAGDALEN VOSSELLER:

143. JACOB, farmer, of Whitehouse Sta., N. J.; b. Sept. 27, 1852; living; m. (1) Sarah Van Nest (dau. of George Van Nest and Margaret Davenport, of North Branch); and (2) Elizabeth Van Derbeek (dau. of William Van Derbeek and Elizabeth Cole, of Lamington). Ch: EDWARD, who m. Sarah Hockenbury and d. 1918; FRANK, who m. Carrie Dalley and d. 1917.

144. PETER, of Pluckemin, b. Feb. 23, 1855; living; m. Elizabeth Whitlock (dau. of Israel Whitlock and Caroline Mundy), who was b. May 6, 1855. (For ch., see infra).

145. EMMA T., of Pluckemin; living; m. James Vanderveer Ten Eyck. Ch.: Harold; Magdalin.

CHILDREN OF BERGUN V. D. VAN ARSDALE (101) AND SUSAN J. CRATER:

146. GEORGE SCHENCK, b. Jan. 8, 1851; living, at Peapack, N. J.; m. Sarah Potter (dau. of Sering Potter, Sr., and Elizabeth Smith, of Pottersville). No ch.

147. SARAH LOUISE, b. Apr. 15, 1855; living; m. (1) Marcus P. Wyker, of Newton, N. J., who deceased; and (2) J. E. Richie, of Lima, Ohio. Resides at Cleveland, Ohio. Ch.: Lillian Wyker.

148. MORRIS CRATER, merchant, of North Plainfield, N. J., b. Sept. 30, 1862; living; m. Minnie Elizabeth Chapin, who was b. Dec. 13, 1867. Mr. Van Arsdale has long been one of the prominent and successful business men of Plainfield, active in the Board of Trade and Congregational church, Bank director, etc. (For ch., see infra).

149. ALMEDA, who d. in infancy.

CHILDREN OF ABRAHAM VAN ARSDALE (107) AND JANE VAN NEST:

150. ISABELLA, b. Feb. 6, 1856; d. May 28, 1915; m., Feb. 6, 1878, Jacob Kline, of Somerville, who was b. June 19, 1853, and d. Feb. 14, 1911. Ch.: Chauncey Field, deceased; Elizabeth, deceased; Jennie Van Arsdale.

150a. SARAH, b. Oct. 8, 1858; d. Jan. 7, 1861.

151. WILLIAM, of 1004 W. Third St.,.Plainfield; living; m. Annie Van Fleet. Ch.: AUGUSTUS; CHARLES, deceased; IDA; HORACE; ELLA; GEORGE.

152. GEORGIANA, who d. May 26, 1916.

CHILDREN OF PHILIP VAN ARSDALE (110) AND ELSIE VOORHEES:

153. ARVILLA; m. Bert Thompson, of Aurora, Ill. Ch.: Elsie; Mabel.

154. Anna; m. Thomas Laird, of Batavia, Ill. Ch.: Philip; Eva.

155. Nathaniel Hixson, of Batavia, Ill.; m. Jean Laird.

156. Sarah, of Kaneville, Ill.; m. ———.

Children of Peter E. Van Arsdale (111) and Sarah E .Vroom:

157. George, of 546 Walnut St., Elizabeth, N. J.; m., Oct. 22, 1890, Flora McCulley. Ch.: Harold.

158. Ira, of Plainfield, N. J.; living; m., Nov. 24, 1897, Anna V. A. Hess. Ch.: Florence Elizabeth, b. Aug. 23, 1898; d. Mar. 13, 1899.

Children of Rev. Nathaniel H. Van Arsdale (112) and Harriet W. Hasbrouck:

159. Rev. Elias Brown, of 91 Third Ave., Hawthorne, N. J., b. at High Falls, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1869; living; m. Agnes Royle. He grad. from Rutgers College 1890, and from the New Brunswick Seminary 1893; was licensed by the Classis of Paramus; pastor of the Ref. ch. at Farmer (now Interlaken), N. Y., 1893-1916; First Ref. ch. of North Paterson, Hawthorne, N. J., 1916 to present. From July, 1916, to July, 1917, was also Assistant Editor of the "Christian Intelligencer." Ch.: John Royle; Lyle Hasbrouck.

160. Cressida, of Athenia, N. J.; living; m. Arthur Livingstone Helmes. Ch.: Chester Van Arsdale; Walter Livingstone; Harold Hixson.

161. Russel, of Savannah, Ga.; deceased; m. Phebe Trumps. Ch.; Joan; Hixson; Walter S.; Phebe.

162. Louisa Wright, of Brattleboro, Vt.; deceased; m. Christie Crowell.

163. Charles Frederick, of Woodcliff, N. J.; living; m. Alice Hardenbrook. Ch.: Allen Hill; John.

164. Walter Hasbrouck, of Clifton, N. J.; living; m. Lavina Van Dillen.

Children of Peter Van Arsdale (144) and Elizabeth Whitlock:

165. Cora M., of North Plainfield; m., Dec. 30, 1897, Charles W. Harden. Ch.: Mildred A., Charlotte W.

166. Georgianna, of North Plainfield; m., Jan., 1900, Walter Conover. Ch.: Norman; Grace; Walter; Ruth; Alice; Robert; Roger; Herbert; Elizabeth; Helen.

167. Isaac Vanderveer, of Hoboken; m., Oct., 1904, Ellen Quigley.

168. Jacob Vosseller, of Plainfield; m. (1) Mary Fitzsimmons, who d. 1909, and (2), July, 1911, Elizabeth Hall.

169. Joseph S., of New York City; deceased; m., 1902, Elizabeth Benson. Ch.: Elizabeth.

170. Carrie E., of Plainfield; m., July 27, 1909, Walter Hand. Ch.: Frances; Irvin; Carol, deceased; Vanderveer; Donald.

Children of Morris C. Van Arsdale (148) and Minnie E. Chapin:

171. Arthur Crater, of 92 Fairview Ave., North Plainfield, b. May 21, 1888; living; m., June 15, 1911, Maud Emmons (dau. of John P. Emmons, of North Plainfield). Ch.: Bergun Emmons; Myra.

172. Malcolm Guerin, of Maplewood, N. J., b. April 3, 1890; living; m., Mar. 27, 1913, Alma Hutchinson, of Trenton. Ch.: Malcolm Guerin, Jr.

[Note.—In compiling the foregoing the writer has not undertaken to state just which of the males who were of age to take part in the Revolutionary War did so. A large number of Van Arsdales were in the Revolutionary army, but the duplicates in names and the fact that certainly many were of what we choose to call the Harlingen, Neshanic and Franklin twsp. lines, make it now impossible to designate the actual soldiers, except in an instance or two. There were also some in the Whiskey Insurrection War, War of 1812, the War of the Rebellion and the late European War].

SOMERSET CIVIL LIST, 1688-1799

Supplementary to Snell's "Civil List"

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McEowen, Alexander, Coroner, 1769.
McEowen, Daniel, Justice of the Peace, 1749, 1752.
McEowen, William, Justice of the Peace, 1794, 1799.
McDonald, George, Notary Public, 1799.
McDonald, William, Sheriff, 1761, 1762, 1771; Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768; Justice of the Quorum, 1768.
Manning, John, Justice of the Peace, 1781, 1786.
Mattison, Aaron, Justice of the Peace, 1785, 1790.
Mercer, Archibald, Judge of Common Pleas and Justice of the Peace, 1790.
Miller, Paul, Justice of the Peace, 1730, 1739, 1759; Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1739, 1752; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1753, 1755, 1756, 1759; Judge Common Pleas, 1749, 1759.
Mompesson, Roger, Justice of the Peace, (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1713.
Moore, John, Justice of the Peace, (inc. Middlesex), 1715.
Morgan, Benjamin, Justice of the Peace, 1768.
Morris, Lewis, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1713, 1715, 1725.
Morris, Robert Hunter, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1755, 1756.
Neal, Henry, Justice of the Peace and Ass't Judge of Common Pleas, 1725.
Nevill, Samuel, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1752, 1753, 1755, 1756.
Nevius, David, Justice of the Peace, 1800.

Nowec, John, High Sheriff (inc. Middlesex), 1707.
Ogden, David, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1774.
Ogden, Robert, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771.
Parker, Elisha, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1713, 1715.
Parker, James, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1774.
Parker, John, Justice of the Peace, 1725.
Perine, Peter, Coroner, 1752; Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768, 1776.
Pike, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1711, 1713.
Pike, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1715.
Pinhorne, William, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1710.
Powers, Richard, Justice of the Peace, 1730; Ass't Judge Common Pleas, 1730.
Probasco, John, Justice of the Peace, 1795.
Quarry, Robert, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1710.
Quick, Abraham, Justice of the Peace, 1777.
Ralph, Joseph, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705, 1708.
Rapelier, George, Justice of the Peace, 1739.
Read, Charles, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1752, 1753, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1774.
Reading, John (inc. Middlesex), Justice of the Peace, 1713, 1715, 1725.
Reamer, George, Sheriff, 1762, 1764.
Revell, Thomas, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708.
Rickey, Jacob, Justice of the Peace, 1782, 1787, 1792.
Rolph (Rolfe), Henry, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1715.
Rolph, Moses, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1713, 1715.
Roseboom, Henry, Justice of the Peace, 1725.
Roy, John, Justice of the Peace, 1752, 1754(?), 1767, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1772; Justice of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Common Pleas, 1769, 1772.
Royce, John, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705; Highway Commissioner, 1694.
Saltar, Richard, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1756.
Schenck, Peter, Justice of the Peace, 1767; Justice of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Common Pleas, 1768, 1770, 1772, 1776; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1774, 1776.
Scott, Moses, Justice of the Peace, 1781, 1786; Judge Common Pleas, 1782, 1787.
Sebring, John, Justice of the Peace, 1782, 1787, 1792.
Sebring, Roeloff, Justice of the Peace, 1776, 1781; Judge Common Pleas, 1781.
Sergeant, Jonathan Dickinson, Surrogate, 1769.
Shepherd, Samuel, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705, 1708.
Skelton, Joseph, Justice of the Peace, 1773.
Skinner, Stephen, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1774.
Slater, Edward, Sheriff (inc. Essex), 1692.
Smith, James, Justice of the Peace, 1725.
Smyth, Frederic, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1774.
Sonmans, Peter, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1709; Judge Court Common Pleas (inc. Middlesex), 1708.

Southard, Henry, Justice of the Peace, 1787, 1792.
Staats, Abraham, Justice of the Peace, 1781.
Stevens, John, Justice of the Peace, 1730; Ass't Judge Common Pleas, 1730; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1774. (Father and son of same name).
Steward, William, Coroner, 1752.
Stirling, William Alexander (Lord), Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1774.
Stockton, Job, Sheriff, 1758, 1759, 1765; Justice of the Peace, 1769; Judge Common Pleas, 1759; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1770, 1771, 1774.
Stockton, John, Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, 1752; Judge Common Pleas, 1749; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1752, 1753, 1755, 1756.
Stockton, Richard (2nd), Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1705.
Stockton, Richard, High Sheriff, 1768, 1774, 1776; Justice of the Peace, 1765, 1767, 1772; Justice of the Quorum, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772; Judge Common Pleas, 1772, 1781, 1785, 1792, 1794, 1798. (Two of same name; we cannot distinguish terms of each).
Stockton, Samuel, Justice of the Peace, 1730; Ass't Judge Common Pleas, 1730.
Stothoof, Elbert, Justice of the Peace, 1730.
Stout, Zebulon, Justice of the Peace, 1730, 1739.
Striker, John, Justice of the Peace, 1788, 1794; Judge Common Pleas, 1794.
Striker, Peter I., Justice of the Peace, 1792, 1800.
Sutphen, Guisbert, Justice of the Peace, 1769, 1776, 1787.
Sutton, Daniel, Justice of the Peace, 1730.
Swazey, Joshua, Justice of the Peace, 1792.
Taylor, John, Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770; Justice of the Peace, 1786 (resigned 1788).
Ten Eyck, Abraham, Sr., Justice of the Peace, 1794.
Ten Eyck, Jacob, Sr., Justice of the Peace, 1792.
Terhune, Garret, Justice of the Peace, 1788, 1794.
Terrill, Thomas, Justice of the Peace, 1770.
Thomson, Benjamin, Justice of the Quorum, 1749; Justice of the Peace, 1752, 1759; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1752, 1753, 1755, 1756, 1759, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769; Judge Common Pleas, 1759, 1765.
Tingley, Ebenezer, Justice of the Peace, 1776.
Tompkins, Ichabod, Justice of the Peace, 1752.
Townsley, Richard, Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1710.
Tunison, John, War Tax Assessor, 1692; Highway Commissioner, 1694; Justice of the Peace (inc. Middlesex), 1708, 1710.
Van Arsdalen, Garret, Justice of the Peace, 1776.
Van Brunt, Nicholas, Justice of the Peace, 1794.
Van der Veer, John, Justice of the Peace, 1767, 1768, 1769.
Van der Veer, Jacob, Justice of the Peace, 1739; Justice of the Quorum, 1749, 1752, 1768; Judge Oyer and Terminer, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1774; Judge Common Pleas, 1768.

Vanderveer, John, Justice of the Peace, 1769.
Van der Veer, Lawrence, Justice of the Peace, 1781.
Van Dike, Hendrick (Henry), Coroner, 1773; Justice of the Peace, 1776.
Van Dorn, Abraham, Sheriff, 1753. (See at end of this article).
Van Duyn, James, Justice of the Peace, 1794, 1799.
Van Ess, Peter, Highway Commissioner, 1694.
Van Est, Abraham, Justice of the Peace, 1761, 1768; Justice of the Quorum, 1768.
Vanhorne, John, Justice of the Quorum, 1768.
Vanhorne, Philip, Judge Common Pleas, 1759, 1765, 1768; Justice of the Quorum, 1768.
Van Middlesworth, John, Justice of the Peace and of the Quorum, 1739; Judge Common Pleas, 1749.
Van Orden, Tobias, Justice of the Peace, 1749.
Van Orstrant, Jacob, Justice of the Peace, 1761, 1768.
Verbryck, William, Justice of the Peace, 1773.
Vroom, John, Justice of the Peace, 1756.
Wahlen, William, Justice of the Peace, 1749.
White, Anthony, Justice of the Quorum, 1768.

It must not be overlooked that the dates named for the foregoing officials are only extended to the year 1799; beyond that see Snell's "Hist. of Hunt. and Somerset," (pp. 643-647).

In addition to the foregoing, which, as a rule, indicates the years when each official named was commissioned, we have found from other records some sheriffs of Somerset acting in these years:

1740.	Hollingshead, William.
1745.	Brunson, Barefoot.
1746(?)	Riddell, John.
1751.	Hollingshead, Francis.
1754.	Van Dorn, Abraham.

The John Riddell named above took office without qualifying, and a most interesting investigation concerning his running away while in debt and during his term of office is to be found in "N. J. Archives," Vol. XII (pp. 212-225). It is there stated that Riddell succeeded Barefoot Brunson.

From the lists above given it is possible to approximately (not certainly or fully) determine who were sheriffs of Somerset County up to the close of the Revolution, to which period the list in Snell's work is fragmentary and incorrect. The names and dates, then, so far as we can gather, are somewhat as follows:

Early Sheriffs of Somerset

Edward Slater, 1692-1707(?).
John Nowec, 1707-1708.

Adam Hude, 1708-1709.
Barefoot Brunson, 1709-1711.
Garvin Lockhart, 1711-—(?).
Barefoot Brunson, ———(?)———(?). [Probably appointed again and holding office for a long term].
John Piatt, 1732-1740(?).
William Hollingshead, 1740-—(?).
Barefoot Brunson, ———(?)-1745(?).
John Riddell, 1745(?)-1746(?).
Francis Hollingshead, 1746(?)-1752(?).
Abraham Van Dorn, 1752(?)-1758(?).
Job Stockton, 1758-1761.
William McDonald, 1761-1762.
George Reamer, 1762-1765.
Job Stockton, 1765-1768.
Richard Stockton, 1768-1771.
William McDonald, 1771-1774.
Richard Stockton, 1774-1778.
Peter Dumont, 1778-1781.
Peter D. Vroom, 1781-1783.

As there is no certainty just when the terms of any sheriff ended, except in a few instances (they held office at the pleasure of the Governor), we have had to surmise the dates of the expiration of many of the terms.

It has been repeated in many published works that Abraham Van Dorn was appointed "in 1750" and held office for at least twenty years. But so far as appears in our list (which may be imperfect) his first commission was dated 1753, (Feb. 27), and certainly Job Stockton was commissioned in 1758, and other persons thereafter as named above. The published Van Dorn item, therefore, must have been based upon an unreliable tradition. It is possible Abraham did become sheriff "in 1750," and that such commission did not become entered on the minutes of appointments; in fact he was sheriff in Dec., 1752, if he conducted the burning of the negro who murdered A. Van Neste, as has often been printed; but, if so, there are allowed only at most eight years for his service. This Abraham was a brother to Christian, of Middlebush, who wrote his surname as it is now generally spelled, "Van Doren."

SIX-MILE RUN CHURCH BAPTISMS, 1743-1805

FROM THE RECORDS

THE SIX-MILE RUN Dutch Reformed church, in Franklin township, Somerset county, was organized Nov. 15, 1710, but no baptismal records of it are known to exist prior to 1743, except about a dozen baptisms by the organizer, Paulus Van Vlecq. For that year and then for 1749-'53 a

few loose leaves exist; otherwise the original baptismal book, deposited in 1894 in the Sage Library, at New Brunswick, continues the entries until 1804. From a careful copy of these entries the following baptisms have been transcribed by the Editor of the QUARTERLY. Spellings have been preserved as written. In a few cases we have transposed the names so as to make the dates consecutive. Some breaks in years will be noticed.

The pastors of the church during the period named were Theodorus J. Frelinghuysen, 1720-'47; Johannes Arondeus, acting at times, 1747-'54; Johannes Leydt, 1748-'83; John M. Van Harlingen, 1787-'95; James S. Cannon, 1797-1826. The present pastor is the Rev. Eugene H. Keator, to whom and to the Consistory of the Church we are indebted for the loan of the record of which we now commence publication.

THE BAPTISMAL RECORDS

1743.

July 13. Van Voorhees, Court and Nelle—Femetia. Witnesses: Isaac Hagamen and Pryn.
Cornel, Corneleus and Annecke Van Voorhees—Petrus. Witness: Rynear Merill.
Van Doren, Christian and Alche—Joseph.
Schenck, Peter—Maria. Witnesses: Garret Veghten and Elizabet.
Symese, Isaac and Neltie—Aris.
Van Dyke, Hendrick and Maragritie—Cornelius; Helena.
Van Voorhees, Jocobus and Maria—Abraham.
Nevius, Tobias and Rebecca—Petrus.
Van Arsdalen, Aris and Sarah—Antie.
Stryker, Jacobus and Gertie—[Child's name not given].
Van Arsdalen, Cornelius and Mary—[Child's name not given].
Douty, Jeremias and Armya—[Child's name not given].
Monfoo [Monfort?],—odoris and Altie [Child's name not given].

Oct. 1. Van Liew, Frederick and Maricke—Jaques.
Pyet, John and Joenkie—William.
Van Arsdalen, Jurrie and Altie—Johannes.

22. Gulick, Jochem and Cornelia—Abraham.

Nov. 5. Stothoff, Elbert and Ida—Anecke.
Tunison, Cornelus and Jenneke—Cornelus.
Stryker, Johannes and Cornelia—Jacobus.
per C (?), Frederick and Grietie—Altie.

Dec. 4. Wik, Jakobus and Maritie— ——us(?).
Van Voorhees, Lucas and Nelltie—Antie.
Polen, Martin and Sarah—Petrus.
Vonk, Johanes and Geertie—Catrinche.
Van Arsdalen, John and Debora—Christoffel.

1749.
Jan. 29. Davids, Christian and Debora—Antie.
Hagamen, Nys and Mayke—Sara.
Fyn, John and Antie—Jacob.
Feb. 26. Stothoff, Cornelius and Maria—Maria.
Van Doren, Abm. and Maria—Femmetje.
Oct. 23. Failor, Benjamin and Marriche—Benjamin.
Van Arsdalen, Christoffel and Neltie—Helena.
Voorhees, Martynus and Lebeche—[Child's name not given].
Veghten, Nicholas and Neltje—Nuys.
Vliet, Daniel and Geertie—Jan.
Nov. 6. Polen, Samuel and Jacamintie—Eva.
Schenk, Albert and Catelyntie—Maria.
Williamson, Dirck and Sara—Petrus.
Sitfin, John and Neeltje—Catrena.
23. Schenk, Hendrick and Lena—Maria.
Dec. 10. Suydam, Engelty—Joseph.

1750.
Jan. 1. Bennet, Johannes and Geertye—Jannitye.
Fulkerson, Joseph and Altie—Johannes.
Emans, Benjamin and Antje—Andrias.
Wytknegt, Johannis and Neeltje—Petrus.
21. Boerum, Niclaes and Antje—Catrinche.
Williamson, Niclaes and Ragel—Willem.
Feb. 19. Dorlant, Lammert and Styntje—Gerrit.
Mar. 4. Poulse, Johannis and Harmje—Jannetje.
Cornel, Willem and Greitje—Eliesabet. Witnesses: Adriaen Cornel and Eliesabet Van Enden.
Hegeman, Nys and Aaltje—Jakobus.
18. Van Aersd[alen], Jan and Lena—Abraham.
Apr. 1. Vechten, Gerrit and Eliesabet—Petrus.
Van Arsda[len], Cornelius and Femmitje—Maritje.
Jansen, Nicklaes—Antje.
15. Van Zant, Pieter Pra and Marytje—Jakobus.
Pryn, Jeems and Neeltje—Neeltje.
29. Hegeman, Andreas and Marya—Andreas.
Vonk, Johannis and Geertje—Dallius.
Lott, Abraham and Jannitje—Sara.
May 13. Broka, Bregon and Jannitje—Abraham.
Broka, Abraham and Eliesabet— ——tje(?).
June 1. Van Houten, Cornelus and Maytje—Johannis.
3. Van Nest, Pieter and Eliesabet—Maria.
24. Hogelant, Martynis and Femmitje—Cornelus.
July 1. Walderom [Waldron], Leffert and Ida—Saertje.
Van Pelt, Johannis and Catryna—Christoffel.
Sperling, Jan and Geertje— ——rtje(?).
29. Pouwelse, Cornelus and Marytje—Jannetje.
Sept. 2. Gerritse, Rem and Catryntje—Barbera.
Hogelant, Dirck and Maria—Dirck. (Witness: Anaetje Hogelant).

Oct. 6. Hout, Jonetan and Jannitje—Anaetje.
Vanderveer, Jan and Sytje—Gerrit; Cornelus.
Nov. 4. Folkerse, Folkert and Maria—Folkert.
18. Van Voorhees, Lucas and Neeltje—Jannitje.
Stoothoff, Johannis and Sara—Johanna.
Hagewouwt, Isack and Catlyntje—Petrus.
Riemer, Abraham and Jannitje—Catriena.
Dec. 2. Leek, Jakobus and Styntje—Dyna.
Speerling, Petrus and Maria—Joris.
Polen, Samuel and Jakemyntje—Samuel.
16. Snedeker, Isack and Catriena—Gerrit.
Wykhoff, Jakobus and Catalyntje—Willemje.

1751.
Feb. 14. Bennet, Jan and Annaetje—Isack.
Feb. —. Wyckoff, Cornelius and Martentje—Willimje. [Bapt. by Johannis Frelinghuysen].
Mar. 3. Corteljou, Hendrick and Catriena—Lena.
Berrieen, Pieter and Annaetje—Johannis.
Pommieeje [Pumyea], Pieter and Mallie—Bettie.
Herresen, Hen— and Nensie—Johannis.
Van Tilburgh, Willem and Kesya—Johannis.
17. Nevius, Petrus and Johanna—Martynus.
Voorhees, Petrus and Sefya—Jakobus.
Apr. 7. Voorhees, Jan and Eliesabet—Koert.
Leydt, Domene Johannis and Tryntje—Catlyntje.
21. Derje [Duryea?], Joost and Maria—Helena.
Van Aersdalen, Jan and Debora—Magdelena.
June 2. Veghten, Nicholas and Neltie—Lucas.
15. Willemse, Jakobus and Marya—Jannetje.
July 28. Van Kleef, Jurryas and Ida—Eliesabet.
Van Bueren, Mychiel and Jannitje—Marya.
Beert, Alksander and Eliesabet—Jannitje.
Aug. 18. Voorhees, Jan and Maitje—Lucas.
25. Simson, Abraham and Maragrietje—Jan.
Terheunen, Jan and Neeltje—Jan.
Sept. 21. Van Pelt, Jan and Sarah—Aris.
Dec. 8. Hogelant, Abraham and Anaetje—Sara.
Bergen, Jacop and Grietje—Frederik.
Symese, Isack and Neeltje—Deborah.
Willemse, Dirck and Sara—Abraham.
Fyn, Jan and Antje—Marya.
Oct. 6. Van Leeuwe, Frederik and Marytje—Dyna.
Van Dyk, Henderikus and Marregrietje—Albert.
Pouwelse, Johannis and Harmje—Catrynje.
Nov. 3. Van Dyk, Jan and Gerritje—Frederick.
DeHart, Cornelus and Maike—Antje.
Dec. 15. Veghte, Gerrit and Eliesabet—Marya.
Henderikse, Daniel and Ida—Johannis.
Gerritse, Samuel and Jannetje—Gerrit.
Dannelson, William and Doeritie—Eester.

1752.

Jan. 12. Hegeman, Nys and Mayke—Gerrit.
Cornel, Jakobes and Jannitje—Annaatje.
26. Van Aarsdalen, Christoffel and Neeltje—Grietje.
Feb. 9. Van Dyke, Matys and Neeltie—Matius.
Gulick, Geertje—Dana Barkelo.
23. Van Aersdalen, Jurrie and Aaltje—Roeloff.
Mar. 22. Williemse, Jacobis and Maria—Willyem.
Bennet, Joannis and Gertye—Jacob Detwede (the second).
Apr. 5. Willemse, Jakobes and Liedea—Geertje.
Vandervoortd, Jakobes and Metje—Helena.
19. Kinne, Syme and Margrietje—Geertje.
Gulick, Jochem and Corneliea—Willem.
May 3. Stoothoff, Ida, wid. of Elbert—Elbert. Witness: Elbert Stoothoff.
Gerritse, Rem and Catryntje—Gerrit.
Menlie, Jan and Geertje—Eliesabet.
Van Hengelen, Cornelus and Maria—Arenout.
Boerem, Nicklaes and Antje—Neeltje.
14. Schenck, Pieter and Maria—Johannis.
Groenendyk, Johannis and Sara—Mayke.
June 14. Van Pelt, Pieter and Maria—Teunis.
Van Aersdalen and Sara—Chrisstoffel.
July 26. Gulick, Jochem and Rebecka—Antje. Witnesses: Benjemen Emans and wife Antje.
Gulick, Jakobus and Maria—Jakobus.
Aug. 9. Beert, Alksander and Eliesabet—Elsje.
Vliet, Geertje, wife of Daniel Vliet—Daniel.
Oct. 1. Van Leuwe, Nys and Ida—Cornelus.
15. Van der Veer, Jan and Sytje—Jan.
Wykhoff, Jakobus and Catlyntje—Evaetje.
29. Hogelant, Henderick and Marya—Henderik.
Brouwer, Josip and Antje—Eliesabet.
Nov. 26. Snedeker, Isack and Catriena—Catrina.
Dec. 10. Cornel, Josip and Jannitje—Josip.
24. Van Kleef, Jurryas and Ida—Gerrit.

1753.

Jan. 1. Van Voorhees, Lucas and Neeltje—Neeltje.
Stryker, Pieter and Marya—Barent.
14. Corteljou, Henderick and Catriena—Maria.
Feb. 15. Hogelant, Johannis and Matje—Tuenis.
Mar. 25. Hogelant, Chrisstoffel and Sara—Catlyna.
Folkerse, Folkert and Marya—Flippus.
Apr. 8. Voorheese, Abraham and Marya—Minne.
Van Dyke, Symon and Anna—Hendrick.
Van Buren, Machil and Yannethe—Magdelena.
22. Leek, Jakobus and Styntje—Gerrit Stryker.
Herreson, Henry and Antje—Antje.
Polen, Samuel and Lena—Sara.
Jansen, Marten and Marya—Marten.

May 6. Van Dyk, Jan and Gerritje—Abraham.
20. Denelse, Wilem and Dorite—Johannis.
June 8. Pauluse, Johannes and Harmje—Antje.
Voorhees, Abraham and Geertje—Luykas; Abraham.
10. Provost, Jonathan and Ariantje—Marya. Witness: Catje Provost.
17. Jurcks, Pieter and Anaetje—Catriena.
July 1. Willemse, Wilhelmus and Antje—Antje.
Aug. 10. Emans, Benjemen and Evaatje—Benjamen.
Coevert, Johannis and Marta—Bregon.
Sept. 23. Snedeker, Isack and Catriena—Gerrit.
Vandervoort, Magiel and Marya—Anna.
Oct. 7. Hegeman, Dallius and Catryntje— ——derick.
21. Aarsdalen, Jan and Helena—Helena.
Van Dyk, Mattys and Neeltje—Anna.
Nov 4. Beent, Alexander and Lybe—William.
Dec. —. Stoethoff, Johannis and Sara—Jenneke.
Dehart, Cornelis and Maeik—Willem.
30. Hegeman, Syme and Aeltje—Geertje.
Willemse, Jakobus and Maria—Luekresie.

1754.
Jan. 20. Schuerman, Fernandus and Neeltje—Anna.
Kinne, Syme and Margrietje—Eva.
Gulick, Jochem and Rebecke—Jackmyntje.
Mar. 31. Berrien, Pieter and Anna—Sara.
Van Nist, Henderik and Henne—Eliesabet.
Apr. 14. Foord, Tomas and Catryntje—Sara.
28. Van Kleef, Johannis and Grietje—Rebekka.
Van Aarsdalen, Jurry and Aaltje—Antje.
Hegeman, Jakobus and Eliesabet—Adrieaan.
Van Leuwe, Nys and Ida—Helena.
May 12. Van Pelt, Pieter and Maria—Jannitje.
23. Cornel, Willem and Grietje—Willem.
Voorhees, Jan and Anna—Antje.
Wykhoff, Jakobus and Catlyntje—Antje.
June 2. Williamse, Jacobus and Marytje—Hendrick.
9. Simson, Abraham and Marregrietje—Catriena.
July 7. Vechte, Gerrit and Eliesabet—Johannis.
Gulick, Jochem and Corneliea—Johannis.
Groenendyk, Johannis and Sara—Chrisstoffel.
21. Gulick, Fernandus and Neeltje—Neeltje.
Sept. 8. Nevius, Jakobus and Eegje—Annitje.
Oct. 6. Vanderveer, Jan and Sytje—Jakobus.
Miserol, Pieter and Femmitje—Marya.
Slover, Lucas and Neeltje—Jakobus.
Boerom, Nicklaes and Antje—Jannitje.
Pouwelse, Pouwell and Lena—Paulus.
Willemse, Abraham and Hendrikje—Neeltje.
26. Vliet, Geertje, wife of Daniel Vliet—Margrietje.
Blauw, Frederik and Marya—Neeltje.

Nov. 3. Van Aersdalen, Jan and Debora—Marleentje.
Hogelant, Martynus and Femmetje—Abraham.
Moor, Henderik and Ida—Johannis.
Gulick, Jakobus and Maria—Johannis.
17. Van Carlaer, Arent and Marya—Marya.
Gerritse, Rem and Catryntje—Barbera.
Van Aersdalen, Jakobus and Alieda—Jacop.
Dehart, Gysbert and Jannitje—Jan.
Van Aersdalen, Cornelus and Sara—Margrietje.
Dec. 1. Schenk, Henderik and Helena—Catyna.
15. Van Deventer, Abraham and Maria—Geertje.
29. Kroese, Dirck and Liesabet—Isack.

1755.

Jan. —. Van Dyk, Roeloff and Catryna—Jan.
Hegeman, Dallius and Catryntje—Geertje.
Van Doorn, Jan and Marytje—Aeltje.
Jan. 9. Hogelant, Henderik and Maria—Antje.
26. Blauw, Pieter and Maria—Aaltje.
Van Dyk, Jan and Gerritje—Jacop.
Feb. 23. Van Kleef, Jurryas and Ida—Isack.
Hegeman, Simon and Aeltje—Adriaen.
Mar. 15. Voorhees, Cornelus and Lena—Marya.
30. Van Voorhees, Lucas and Neeltje—Abraham.
Van Pelt, Henderik and Sara—Jan.
Apr. 20. Van Leuwe, Frederick and Marytje—Geertje.
Terheunen, Jan and Neeltje—Magdelena.
Stryker, Abraham and Catriena—Ida.
Quick, Teunis and Helena—Petrus.
Van Voorhees, Jan and Jannitje—Abraham.
Nevius, Johannis and Catriena—Gerrit.
May 4. Hogelant, Christoffel and Sara—Ida.
Pouwelse, Johannis and Harmje—Abraham.
Bennet, Johannis and Geertje—Annaetje. Witnesses: Jakobus Van Duyn and wife Annaetje.
18. Stout, Annaetje, wife of Samuel Stout—Abraham Leek, Jan and Margrietje—Chrisstoffel.
June 13. Perbesko, Jan and Dyna—Jacob.
Van Aersdalen, Ouke and Maria—Chrisstoffel.
29. Beerd, Willem and Elsje—Johannis.
Sutten, Catriena, wife of Hu Sutten—Jacop.
Menlie, Jan and Geertje—Marya.
Willemse, Wilhemus and Antje—Lena.
Voorhees, Agyas and Marya—Johannis.
July 13. Ten Broeck, Cornelius and Maregrieta—Eliesabet.
Kehaert, Tomas and Marya—Tomas.
27. Stryker, Pieter and Marya—Eliesabet.
Broka, Jan and Antje—Abraham.
Aug. 17. Vanderbilt, Nys and Sara—Saertje.

Leek, Jakobus and Styntje—Grietja.
Voorhees, Ouke and Neeltje—Jakobus.
Wykhof, Jakobus and Catalyna—Janathe.
Voorhees, Abraham and Gerthe—Isack.
Oct. 19. Gulick, Samuel and Maria—Tuenis.
Willemse, Jakobus and Maria—Ida.
Janse, Marten and Maria—Sara.
Kinne, Syme and Maria—Jakobus.
Schuerman, Fernandus and Neeltje—Neeltje.
Nov. 2. Van Dyk, Mattys and Neeltje—Neeltje.
Foord, Tomas and Catriena—Henderik.
17. Kertener, John Jurri and Maria—Hanna. Witnesses: Henderick Deetloff, Biegel Meyer.
Voorhees, Aron and Maria—Ouke. Witness: Jan Voorhees.
Herreson, Henneri and Antje—Cornelus.
Dec. 25. Van Pelt, Aert and Sara—Jacop.
1756.
Jan. 11. Merrell, Roger and Sara—Sara.
25. Dehart, Cornelus and Mayke—Sara.
Coevert, Johannis and Marta—Isack.
Feb. 8. Skilman, Johannis and Antje—Jacop.
22. Speerling, Jan and Catryntje—Johannis Magiel.
Jansen, Pieter and Rebecka—Willem.
Van Sant, Wynant and Ragel—Sara.
Mar. 14. Van Kleek, Johannis and Grietje—Marya
Van Deventer, Jacoubus and Elizabet—Jan.
Apr. 25. Ditmarse, Rem and Helena—Marritje.
Bennit, Jan and Annaetje—Johannis.
Hegeman, Jakobus and Eliesabet—Geertje.
Van Buren, Machiel and Jannitje—Ida. Witnesses: Daniel Henderikse and wife Ida.
May 9. Bergen, Joris and Marya—Metje.
Willemse, Abraham and Engelje—Dirck.
July 4. Van Leuwe, Nys and Ida—Frederick.
Bries, Jurrie and Catriena—Henderik.
Kroese, Henderik and Eliesabet—Cornelus.
Nevius, Petrus and Marya—Cattelyntje.
Aug. 1. Bergen, Jacop and Grietje—Jacop.
15. Kroese, Dirck and Lybetje—Catriena.
Van Pelt, Pieter and Marya—Neeltje.
Cortejou, Albert and Lena—Antje.
Terhuenen, Stefanus and Margrieta—Gerrit.
29. Corteljou, Henderick and Catriena—Johanna.
Tamsen, Aetsebel and Coba—Anna.
Van Noortwyk, Marten and Pieternel—Alksander.
Feler, Frederick and An Mari—Frederik.
Sept. 12. Wykhoff, Jacop and Angenietje—Fransyntje.
Stoothoff, Johannis and Sara—Sara.
Dehart, Gysbert and Jannetje—Wynant.

		Fyn, Jan and Antje—Antje.
	26.	Gulick, Jakobus and Marytje—Abraham.
		Van Deventer, Abraham and Marya—Ferrenton.
Oct.	10.	Groenendyke, Johannis and Sara—Johannis.
		Gulick, Jochem and Cornelia—Jannitje.
	24.	Van Aersdalen, Ouke and Marya—Louwerens.
		Van Aersdalen, Henderick—Henderick. Witness: Eliesabet Delie.
		Willemse, Jakobus and Marya—Marya.
		Vander Veer, Jan and Sytje—Petrus.
		Van Hengelen, Ouke and Elsje—Barent.
	28.	Schenk, Henderik and Helena—Aeltje.
Nov.	21.	Stoothoff, Jakus and Catlyna—Cornelus.
		Blauw, Frederik and Marya—Marya.
		Blauw, Willem and Margrietje—Marya.
Dec.	5.	Gulick, Joghom and Rebekca—Eliesabet.
		Hooms, Obadya and Marya—Johannis.
		Hegeman, Simon and Aeltje—Maria.
	19.	Sitfen, Aert and Jannitje—Jakobus.
		Van Leuwe, Frederick and Marytje—Johannis.
		Hogelant, Martynus and Femmitje—Ariejaentje.
1757.		
Jan.	16.	Voorhees, Albert and Neeltje—Albert.
		Brouwer, Josip and Antje—Pieter.
	30.	Voorhees, Jan and Anna—Rem.
		Gerritse, Gerrit and Sara—Gerrit.
		Van Cleef, Juryas and Ida—Juryas.
Feb.	20.	Astursens(?), Jakobus and Margrietje—Johannis.
Apr.	—.	Kinne, Syme and Grietje—Petrus.
		Hegeman, Benjamin and Geertje—Arijaen.
		Snedeker, Isack and Catriena—Marya.
		Brown, And'w and Hannah—Hannah.
		Van Doorn, Jan and Marya—Jan.
		Jurcks, Pieter and Annaltje—Jannitje.
		Quick, Tuenis and Lena—Femmitje.
May	1.	Gulick, Samuel and Maria—Jochem.
	15.	Boerem, Nicklaes and Antje—Antje.
		Stilwil, Josip and Peesjens—Neeltje.
	30.	Van de Water, Henderick and Eliesabet—Henderik.
June	30.	Wykoff, Jakobus and Catlytje—Cornelieus.
July	3.	Polen, Samuel and Jackemyntje—Eliesabet.
		Van Aersdalen, Gerrit and Marya—Helena.
		Wykhoff, Symon and Aeltje—Eliesabet.
		Van Waglom, Jan and Eliesabet—Marya.
		Blau, Jan and Eliesabet—Dyna.
	17.	Van Arsdalen, Jurrie and Aeltje—Maregrietje.
		Simson, Abraham and Margriteje—Abraham.
		Stols, Pieter and Eliesabet—Marytie.
Aug.	21.	Van Voorhees, Lucas and Neeltje—Anna.
		Hagelant, Chrisstoffel and Sara—Jannetje.

Van Aersdalen, Cornelieus and Catlyntje—Cornelus.
Sept. 4. Terhunen, Albert and Maria—Jan.
Foordt, Tomas and Catriena—Tomas.
Oct. 1. Van Aarsdalen, Gerrit and Ariaenje—Lena.
23. Gerritse, Samuel and Jannetje—Johannis; Lucas.
Voorhees, Koert—Jan.
Hikbie, Eliesa and Catriena—Obadia. Witness: Henderik Stols.
Nov. 6. Hogelent, Dirck and Marta—Willem.
20(?). Sedam, Petrus and Femmitje—Ryk.
Terhunen, Steven and Margrietje—Willem.
Quick, Abraham and Matje—Jackmyntje.
Van Dyk, Jan and Gerritje—Jannitje.
Dec. 4. Voorhees, Isaac and Helena Barkelow—David.
Vandorn, Willem and Catlintje—Christean.
Golder, Nicholas and Maria—Abraham.
Willemsen, Willem and Angenietye—Willem.
Broca, Jan and Magdalena—Jan.
Grigs, Barent and Jackemintye—Ferdenandus.
18. Voorhees, Abraham and Geertje—Nellie.

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1807.
Nov. 29. Cornell, Albert and Allie Van Arsdale—Barent, b. Oct. 7.
Dec. 6. Van Buren, Peter and Elsie—Elizabeth, b. Aug. 19.
1808.
Jan. 10. Wichoff, Garret S. and Rachel Croxson—Jacob Bevier, b. Nov. 26, 1807.
24. Garetson, Stephen and Nellie Van Nuys—James, b. Dec. 15, 1807.
Feb. 28. Schuremen, John and Julia Ann Conover—Loisa Mercer, b. Dec. 4, 1807.
Staats, Frederick and Elizabeth Schenk—Mary Ann, b. Feb. 13.
Mar. 6. Sutphen, John and Altie Terhune—Roolif Terhune, b. Jan. 15.
13. Brokaw, Isaac and Polly Field—Phoebe Field, b. Dec. 29, 1807.
27. Cornell, Joseph and Jane Van Nuys—Peter, b. Feb. 21.
Apr. 3. Hagamin, James and Ann Van Cleff—Garret Van Cleff, b. Feb. 25.
Van Nuys, ——— and Lucy Brokaw—Peter, b. Feb. 7.
May 8. Schenk, Martin and Henrieta Van Linderen—Ulpian Van Linderen, b. Mar. 14.

Ditmars, Abraham and Cornellia Stryker—Cornellia, b. Apr. 3.
Thompson, Peter and Polly Bevier—Ezekial Allison, b. Apr. 8.
Aug. 12. Williamson, Peter and Mariah Nevius—Phoebe, b. July 3.
Oct. 2. Vroom, George and Williampe Arsdalen—Peter, b. Aug. 19.
Broach, John and Gertrude Lott—Henrieta, b. Sept. 1.
16. Auten, John and Mariah Probasco—Elizabeth Auten, b. Oct. 30.

1809.

Jan. 22. Voorhees, Abraham D. and Sarah—Jacob Van Nest, b. Dec. 13, 1808.
Feb. 12. Lewis, Peter and Elizabeth Latourette—William, b. Sept. 20, 1799; David, b. March 21, 1802; John, b. Oct. 27, 1804; Daniel Latourette, b. Jan. 21, 1807; Frederick Frelinghuysen, b. Nov. 8, 1808.
Apr. 16. Wyckoff and Catherine—Mariah Van Duyn, b. Jan. 22.
Flagg, Jacob and Catherine—Henry, b. Feb. 22.
Cornell, Albert and Aullie Van Arsdale—Peter Cortelyou, b. Feb. —.
Smith, Adam and Katherine Van Zant—Benjamin, b. Feb. 4.
Merrill, William and Mary—Ann Frelinghuysen, b. Mar. 4.
30. Nevius, John and Judith Verbruyck—John, b. Mar. 21.
June Voorhees, Gerardus and Mary Quick—James, b. May 13.
July Garretson, Albert and Margret Conover—Garrit.
Sedam, Ryke and Fianah Smith—Isaac, b. June 6.
Bennet, John and Ida Waldron—Mariah, b. Aug. 28, 1808.
Smith, Peter and Rebecca Flagg—(Child's name not given).
Polhemus, Abraham and Elizabeth Stryker—Peter Stryker, b. Aug. 19, 1808.
Garretson, Peter and ——— Polhemus—John Schuremen.
Dec. 3. Hagamin, James and Ann Van Cleff—Jane Ann, b. Nov. 1.
Wyckoff, ——— (No further entry).
Brokaw, Isaac and Phebe Field—Henry Cornell, b. Oct. 2.

1810.

Jan. 21. Ditmars, Abraham and Cornelia Stryker—Cornelius, b. Nov. 17, 1809.
Feb. 18. Auten, John and Cornelia Probasco—[Child's name not given].
Mar. 11. Williamson, Peter and Mariah Nevius—John Bainbridge, b. Jan. 18.
Blau, John and Catherine Van Zant—Peter.
May 13. Van Nostrand, John and Mariah Brokaw—Cornellis Stryker, b. Feb. 23.
Staats, Peter and Altie Cornell—Lamachie, b. Nov. 2, 1809.
Talmadge, David—Sarah, b. Mar. 12.
Thompson, Peter and Mary Bevier—Rebecca, b. Feb. 22.
Van Cleff, William and Mary Wortman—Peter Wortman, b. Apr. 19.
Van Nostrand, Christopher and Elezabeth French—John, b. Feb. 6.
Hoagland, Luke and Sophia Auten—Isaac Voorhees, b. Mar. 10.

July 1. Van Doren, Albert and Mariah Wyckoff—Hannah Margaret, b. May 8.
Aug. 5. Barcklow, Feranton and Hannah Benton—Hannah, b. June 6.
12. Van Nuys, John and Loisa Brokaw—Jacob, b. Apr. 20.
Sept. 2. Cooper, William and Jane Baird—Thomas Cooper, b. Aug. 9.
Nov. 4. Cornell, Joseph and Jane Van Nuys—Ellen, b. Oct. 3.
Dec. 24. Staats, Henricke and Elizabeth Schenk—Peter Staats, b. Oct. 27.

1811.

May 9. Nevius, John J. and Judith Van Bryck—Cornellius Lane, b Mar. 16.
19. Prawl, Aaron and Jane Van Say—Winchy, b. Feb. 10.
26. LeRoe, Cornelius D. and Phoebe Lott—Mary Eliza, b. May 9.
Hoagland, William and Jane Van Derveer—Margaret Van DerVeer, b. Apr. 5.
Sutphen, John and Ulatta Terhune—Margaret Adline, b. Mar. 29.
June 16. Vreedenburg, Peter and Mariah Van Dorn—Sarah Van Doren, b. Apr. 15.
Staats, John and Mary Veghte—Mary, b. Feb. 23.
July 7. Hagamen, James and Ann—Wilmine, b. June 9.
Terhune, Rulyph and Sarah—Dinah, b. May 22.
Sept. 22. Wyckoff, John M. and Mena Voorhees—James Veghte, b. Aug. 23.
Oct. 15. Wyckoff, Garret and Rachel—Rachel, b. Sept. 3.
Garretson, Court and Peggy Covenhoven—(Child's name not entered), b. Sept. 3.
22. Sedam, Ryke and Sarah Waldron—John Waldron, b. May 20.
Dec. 22. Mend, William and Mary—John Van Ars Dalen, b. Nov. 25.
Stryker, Peter and Hannah Van Dyne—Isaac, b. Nov. 27.

1812.

Jan. 5. Staats, Peter, Jr., and Catherine—James Voorhees.
12. Williamson, William and Sarah Dun—Ann, b. Dec. 2, 1811.
26. Ditmars, William and Cornellia Stryker—John, b. Dec. 12, 1811.
Auten, John and Cornellia Probazco—Frederick, b. Nov. 2, 1811.
Feb. —. Bainbridge, Nicklos and Anna Cornell—John, b. Dec. 5, 1811.
Mar. 22. Stryker, Peter—Cyrannus Thompson, b. Jan. 20.
Williamson, Peter and ——— Nevius—William, b. Feb. 13.
29. Van Zant, John and Elizabeth Smith—John, b. Jan. 2.
Apr. 3. Thompson, James and Mariah Stryker—Peter, b. Jan. 17.
Van Nostrand, John and Sally Alschyrh—John, b. Jan. 16.
May 24. Van Nuys, John and Lucy Brokaw—Ellen, b. Aug. 23, 1811.
Garretson, Peter and Elizabeth Polhemus—Magdalen, b. May 27.
Voorhees, William and Sarah Flagg—Sarah Ann, b. Feb. 23.
June 28. Blau, John and Catherine Van Nest—John, b. Apr. 19.
Van Dorn, William and Dorcas Stryker—Catherine, b. Apr. 4.

July 3. Broack, John and Tilly Broach—John, b. Apr. 23.
26. Staats, John and Elizabeth Schenk—Mariah, b. June 10.
Oct. 10. Hoagland, William and Catherine Smith—Elizabeth, b. Sept. 10.
Genoa, Isreal and Jimimy Hoagland—John S.; Sarah Ann (twins), b. Aug. 4.
Musiac, William D. and Margaret Ditmars—William Mc. DeVale, b. Aug. 23.
17. Cornell, Albert and Aully Van Arsdale—Catherine Ellen, b. Aug. 21.
Nov. 22. Brokaw, William and Mariah Stryker—Isaac, b. Sept. 10.
Dec. 20. Barcklow, Farrington and Hannah Benton—Mariah, b. Nov. 19.

1813.
Feb. Voorhees, Gerardus and Mariah Quick—Ann Mariah, b. Dec. 2, 1812.
Hoagland, Cornellius and Mary Brokaw—John Van Dorn, b. Dec. 6, 1812.
Apr. 4. Hart, James and Mariah Dit[mars?]—Mariah Ann, b. June 12, 1812.
11. Wyckoff, Garret and Rachel Covenhoven—Gerrit, b. Dec. 17, 1812.
18. Cornell, Ralph and Jane Van Nuys—Lety, b. March 18.
Baird, Abraham S. and Sarah Maxum—William, b. May 28, 1810; John, b. June 5, 1811; Margaret Ursula, b. Dec. 25, 1812.
May 17. Brokaw, Henry and Sarah Van Muellen—Henrietta, b. Feb. 9.
24. Bennett, John and Dinah Smith—Henry, b. March 16, 1811.
Van Nostrand, Christopher and Elizabeth French—Mary Ann, b. Apr. 6.
Stryker, John and Caty Smith—John, b. March 30.
Hoagland, William F.
Vanderveer, Laura—Laura Voorhees, b. Apr. 6.
July 23. Vreedenburg, Peter and Mariah Van Doren—Ralph Van Doren, b. May 17.
Aug. 8. Terhune, Rulyph and Sarah Van Doren—Anna, b. July 6.
Frelinghuisen, Fred and Jane Dumont—Susan, b. June 16.
Sept. 5. Hagamen, James and Ann Van Cleff—Henry, b. May 27.
Thompson, Genet.
26. Auten, John and Cornellia Probasco—Sophia Ann, b. May 19.
Oct. 16. Philips, Nathienal and Mary Bainbridge—John L. Zabriskie, b. Sept. 4.
23. Cornell, Peter and Elizebeth Van Doren—Catherine Ann, b. Sept. 26.
Nov. 2. Staats, John and Mary Veghten—Peter, b. Sept. 4.
Dec. 18. Wyckoff, John M. and Mariah Voorhees—Mary Ann, b. Nov. 5.
26. Disborough, John and Sarah Van Mater—Gilbert, b. Sept. 24.

1814.
Jan. 22. Thompson, Cyrennus, and Mary Christopher—John, b. July 27, 1813.

Van Der Veer, John and Magdalen Staats—Abraham Staats, b. Oct. 4, 1813.
Staats, Peter and Catherine Voorhees—John, b. Nov. 19, 1813.
29. Nuis, Christopher and Sarah Stryker—Mina, b. Nov. 27, 1813.
——— and Mariah Stryker—Eliza Mariah, b. Sept. 27, 1813.
Cornell, William and Lydia Stryker—Barent, b. Dec. 2, 1813.
Feb. 27. Williamson, Peter and Mariah Nevius—Peter Staats, b. Jan. 3.
Apr. 23. Munson, Abraham and Agey Hoagland—Matilda, b. Feb. 6.
May 1. Ditmars, John and Margaret Curshon—John, b. Feb. 27.
Bainbridge, Nichlos and Amy Cornell—Sarah Ann, b. Feb. —.
22. Disborough, Daniel and Matilda Van Liew—Matilda, b. Apr. 6.
Hatagh [Hartough], John and Laura Van Dine—John, b. Feb. 11.
29. Van Clief, Unius and Elizabeth Roberts—Mary, b. Apr. 5.
Henryson, Peter and Polly Brewer—Matilda, b. July 29.
Van Clief, Franc and Mary Van Clief—John, b. Apr. 6.
June 5. Voorhees, William and Auliche Van Dorn—Ellen, b. Sept. 12, 1813.
Blau, John and Catherine Van Zandt—Abraham, b. Oct. 12, 1813.
Bennet, John and Elizebeth Cavalier—Abigail Jackson, b. Dec. 17, 1812; Mary Ann, b. Sept. 11, 1810.
July —. Ditmars, John and Betty Staats—Peter, b. May 25.
Van Clief, Lawrence and Mary Smith—Abraham, b. Feb. 8, 1811; Mary Smith, b. June 8, 1814.
Aug. 7. Van Nostrand, John and Sarah Van Arsdale—Catherine, b. May 25.
14. Smith, Peter and Rebecca Flagg—Jael-Hery (?), b. May 15.
21. Davis, Abraham and Lea Holinshead—Thomas, b. July 20.
Sept. 2. Brant, Christopher and Rachel Drake—Elizabeth, b. July 5.
12. Van Clief, Elias and Jane Wilson—Margaret Wilson, b. Feb. 11.
Oct. 22. Hoagland, Lucius and Sophia Auten—Mariah.
29. Freylinghuisen, Frederick and Jane Dumond—Gertrude Ann, b. Sept. 20.
Baker, Matthew and Eliezebeth Van Dyne—William, b. June 26.
Nov. 6. Ditmars, Abraham and Cornelia Stryker—Gerrit, b. Sept. 13.
Dec. 18. Staats, John and Mary Vechten—Pheby, b. Nov. 3.
Christopher, Cornellius and Mary Marshall—Letty Mariah, b. Aug. 24.
Staats, Abraham and Mariah Bergen—Abraham, b. Nov. 4.

1815.

Apr. 2. Hoagland, Cornellius and Mary Brokaw—Grace Brokaw, b. Feb. 24, 1815.
16. Stryker, Lyman and Mary Van Deventer—Henry Benniger Veghten, b. June 18.
Van Zandt, John and Elizebeth Smith—Ammy Sels, b. Jan. 12.

Garretson, Garret and Getty Wyckoff—Magdalen, b. March 9.
Hageman, James A. and Ann Van Clief—Uriah Van Clief, b. March 5.
Mechisch, William and Ann Van Clief—Peter Ditmars, b. Nov. 27, 1814.
Hoagland, William and Catherine Smith—Magdalen Voorhees, b. Feb. 10.
Apr. 23. Stryker, John and Ann Brokaw—John, b. Mar. 24.
Thomas, Samuel and Mariah Brokaw—Gertrude, b. Mar. 9.
Merril, William and Maria Van Arsdalen—Maria, b. Mar. 19.
May 21. Vreedenburgh, Peter and Mariah Van Doren—Margaret Schurmen, b. Mar. 8.

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1828.
Jan. 6. Guilds, John and Jane McKinney—John MacKinney.
13. Low, Jacob and Phebe Kershow—Eliza Ann. (B. Oct. 9, 1827).
23. Cole, Abraham and Elenah Schamp—Mary Ann. (B. Sept. 22, 1827).
Emmons, Abraham and Elenah Cole—Sarah Ann. (B. Mar. 31, 1827).
Van Sickle, Peter and Margaret Hope—John. (B. Feb, 26, 1827).
Feb. 17. Wyckoff, John and Leah Van Vleet—Gitty Maria. (B. Oct. 28, 1827).
Nevius, Minne and ——— —Maria. (B. Dec. 13, 1827).
Apr. 6. Thompson, John and Sarah Emmons—Andrew. (B. Mar. 5).
13. Swackhammer, Ruliff and Mary Schamp—Ann Wyckoff. (B. Dec. 7, 1827).
Van Derveer, John and Maria Daily—John. (B. Aug. 6, 1827).
Van Sickle, Aaron and Eleanor Orr—Jane. (B. Aug. 29).
Van Vleet, John and Ann Emmons—Peter. (B. Nov. 13, 1827).
12. Schamp, George A. and Catharine Wyckoff—Peter. (B. Feb. 20, 1827).
27. Tenbroeck, Peter and Catharine Emmons—Sarah. (B. Nov. 10, 1826).
May 18. Schamp, David P. and Esther Lowe—Margaret. (B. Dec. 4, 1827).
Schenck, Israel and Catherine Gulick—Elenor. (B. Jan. 29).

Thompson, Andrew and Susanna Lane—Andrew. (B. Aug. 29, 1827).

June 1. Van Camp, Thomas and Phebe Van Vleet—John. (B. Sept. 20, 1827).

15. Hageman, Andrew and Anne Hoagland—John. (B. Mar. 24).

Stout, Thomas and Eliza Lane—John Wyckoff. (B. Apr. 27).

July 6. Hixon, James and Mary Tuttle—George. (B. May 19).

Schomp, Peter G. and Catharine Kline—Elizabeth. (B. Dec. 10, 1827).

20. Hall, Dennis and Maria Van Horn—William. (B. Jan. 27).

Mattis, Garret and Catharine Daily—John. (B. May 21).

Rose, Isaac and Ann Deatsworth—John. (B. May 15).

Aug. 3. Mitchel, Ditmars and Sarah Mattis—Martha Anne. (B. Jan. 31).

Voorhees, Cortland and Jane Phlereboam—Rebecca. (B. Feb. 17).

17. Corwine, Richard and Gertrude Stotehoff—Samuel. (B. May 26).

Sept. 7. Vroom, Peter and Sophia Ditmars—Martha. (B. June 4).

14. Pumyea, Peter and Catharine S. Stryker—Luther. (B. June 17).

Cox, Edward and Mary Tenbroeck—Arthur Sutphin. (B. Feb. 12).

Kinney, Peter and Margaret Hoppock—Andrew. (B. Nov. 24, 1827).

Mettler, Levi and Amy Baker—Isaac Voorhees. (B. Apr. 28).

Oct. 5. Vossler, Jacob and Margaret Van Fleet—Elias. (B. Sept. 3).

11. Shirts, Henry and Mary Kinney—Elizabeth. (B. June 18, 1827).

Carkhuff, Jacob Q. and Catharine Cole—Elizabeth. (B. June 19).

Ten Eycke, Stephen and Mary Lane—Catharine Maria. (B. July 15).

Cole, David and Agnes Cutter—David. (B. May 14).

Corzine, Cornelius and Sarah Wyckoff—Mary Elizabeth. (B. Aug. 28).

Jenning, William and Gertrude Wyckoff—Henry Wyckoff. (B. Apr. —).

Nov. 30. Voorhees, John and Mary S. Miller—Addison. (B. Aug. 26).

Ammerman, Henry and Mary Sutphin—Mary Elizabeth. (B Sept. 23).

Dec. 7. Wyckoff, Albert and Hannah Schamp—Peter Schamp. (B. Aug. 26).

14. Clickenger, Abraham and Margaret Bertron—Margaret Maria. (B. Jan. 12).

Morehead, John, Jr., and Sophia Van Doren—Joanna. (B. Apr. 21).

21. Latourette, Garret and Hannah Thompson—John. (B. June 20).
25. Van Liew, John and Ann M. Woodruff—Cornelius. (B. Aug. 18).
Hall, Isaac and Eliza Ann Hagerman—John. (B. Oct. 10).
Sutphin, John and Phebe Vossler—Phebe Maria. (B. Oct. 22).

1829.

Apr. 5. Schamp, David and Eliza Ditmars—Sarah Jane.
12. Davis, George and Sarah Cole—Emily Ann. (B. Sept. 23, 1828).
Van Doren, Jacob and Martha Lane—Catharine. (B. Nov. 8, 1828).
May —. Van Doren, Joseph and Ellen Van Vleet—Abraham. (B. Aug. 28, 1828).
Brokaw, Bergun and Ann Van Vleet—Maria. (B. Feb. 16).
Wyckoff, Dennis, Jr., and Martha Low—Mary Low. (B. July 2, 1828).
Swackhammer, John and Ann Ten Eyck—Mary Elizabeth. (B. Jan. 24).
Ten Eyck, John and Margaret Risler—Mary Elizabeth. (B. Mar. 28).
Lane, Aaron and Margaret Hammer—Sarah Maria. (B. Mar. 5).
17. Cole, David and Jane Hall—John. (B. Mar. 25).
24. Lane, John and Mary Ann Hageman—Cornelius. (B. 1828).
June 14. Kinney, Peter and Marg. Hoppock—John Hoppock. (B. Mar. 8).
Lane, Andrew and Ellen Emmons—Gilbert. (B. Nov. 29, 1828).
19. Cole, Christopher and Mary Biggs—Charlotte. (B. Oct. 4, 1828).
July 12. Wyckoff, Tunis and Ann Vossler—Luke Vossler. (B. Mar. 23).
Cox, Henry and Sophia Ditmars—John. (B. Mar. 11).
Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick—Catharine. (B. May 23).
Quimby, Josiah and Margaret Daily—Margaret. (B. Mar. 5).
Brokaw, Peter and Catharine Kershow—Rachel. (B. May 18).
Aug. 2. Daily, George and Mary Ann Carkuff—Catharine Jane. (B. May 22).
Carkuff, Enoch and Julia Ann Daily—John Daily. (B. Nov. 26, 1828).
16. Johnson, Abram and Elizabeth Sutphin—Mary Ellen. (B. May 2).
23. Burnhart, Henry and Maria D. Smock—Abraham. (B. Oct. 17, 1828).

Van Derveer, Michael and Ann Maria Ten Eycke—Cornelius. (B. June 21).
Alpaugh, Morris and ———, —Peter. (B. June 13).
Oct. 4. Vroom, Richard and Eleanor Van Vleet—Henry. (B. June 9).
Dec. 14. Ammerman, James and Catharine Schenck—John Schenck. (B. Oct. 6).
Wyckoff, John M. and Leah Van Vleet—John Van Vleet. (B. Oct. 30).

1830.

Jan. 3. Mattis, Garret and Catharine Daily—Martha Daily. (B. Nov. 5, 1829).
Thompson, John and Sarah Emmons—Peter. (B. Sept. 2, 1829).
10. Emmons, Gilbert L. and Judith Lowe—Abram. (B. June 23, 1829).
Daily, Tunis. (Adult?).
Mar. 7. Lowe, Jacob and Phebe Kershow—Rachel Maria. (B. Sept. 27, 1829).
Van Vleet, Aaron. (Adult?).
Apr. 8. Brokaw, John and Elizabeth Lane—John. (B. Dec. 31, 1829).
Wyckoff, Jacob W. and Elizabeth Huffman—Mary. (B. Sept. 30, 1829).
May 1. Hudnut, Elijah and Sarah Thompson—Abram Stout. (B. Apr. 23).
July 4. Orr, Jacob and Margaret Hall—Elizabeth. (B. Jan. 31).
Swackhammer, Ruliff and Mary Schamp—Eliza. (B. Mar. 23).
Rose, Isaac and ———, —Mary Ellen. (B. Feb. 21).
Corzine, Cornelius and ——— Wyckoff—Henry Wyckoff. (B. May 12).
Powelson, Peter and Juletta Gray—Mary. (B. June 15).
Vroom, Peter and Sophia Ditmars—George. (B. June 9).
Van Sickle, Margaret Hope (widow of Peter)—Peter. (B. Jan. 3).
Hall, Isaac and ———, —William Henry. (B. Apr. 2).
Hall, John D. and Gertrude M. Carkhuff—David. (B. Dec. 21, 1829).
Shirts, Henry and ———, —Peter Bennet. (B. Sept. 11, 1829).
Oct. 3. Lane, Aaron and Catharine Hammer—John. (B. July 26).
Hall, Dennis and Maria Van Horn—Ellen. (B. Aug. 4).
Bunn, Leonard and Catharine Hall—Ann Eliza. (B. July 18).
Voorhees, Cortland and Jane Vlerebome—Emmeline. (B. Feb. 13).
Lowe, Peter B. and Harriet Van Horn—Phebe Elizabeth. (B. May 27).
Daily, John and Elizabeth Hall—William Henry. (B. Aug. 16).
Cole, Ezekiel I. and Gitty Berger—Peter. (B. Apr. 12).

Ammerman, Henry and Mary Sutphen—Mary Elizabeth. (B. Aug. 17).
Schamp, George A. and Catharine Wyckoff—Margaret Eletta. (B. June 23).
Van Vleet, Aaron and ——— Lannen—Sarah Ann.
10. Mattis, Eliza Daily (wife of John).
Newel, Margaret. (Adult).
31. Nevius, Minne and ———, —Frederick Stoothoff. (B. Sept. 27).
Nov. 7. Van Sickle, Aaron and Ellen Orr—Mary. (B. Aug. 31).
Brokaw, William and Eleanor Ditmars—Jane. (B. Aug. 9).
Thompson, Andrew and Susannah Lane—Eleanor. (B. Mar. 30).
Dec. 5. Vossler, Jacob and Margaret Van Fleet—Henry Van Fleet. (B. Oct. 13).
Space, Conrad and Maria Teneyck—Eliza. (B. July 24).

1831.

Mar. 13. Van Camp, Thomas and Phebe—Jane Maria. (B. Feb. 20, 1830).
Thompson, Joseph and Ann Post—John. (B. Oct. 14, 1830).
Post, John D. and Jane Van Cleef—Margaret. (B. Jan. 21).
Apr. 3. Pumyea, Peter and Catharine S. Stryker—Theodore. (B. Nov. 27, 1830).
Lattourrette, Garret and Hannah Thompson—Sarah Moorhead. (B. Dec. 2, 1830).
Groenendyck, Daniel and ———, —Mary Ann.
May 1. Lane, Andrew C. and Elenor Emmons—Elizabeth. (B. Jan. 9).
Tenbroeck, Peter and Catharine Emmons—Margaretta. (B. Nov. 13, 1830).
Cox, Henry and Sophia Ditmars—Cornelius Tunison. (B. Nov. 2, 1830).
14. Van Liew, John and Ann M. Woodruff—Maria Louisa. (B. Jan. 31).
Mettler, Levi and Amy Baker—Levi Byron. (B. Aug. 24, 1830).
Schamp, David and Esther Lowe—John. (B. Dec. 28, 1830).
June 5. Dilley, Jacob J. and Eliza Sullivan—Peter. (B. Mar. 29).
Wyckoff, Albert and Hannah Schamp—Eliza Ann. (B. Feb. 16).
Alpaugh, Morris and Elizabeth Kinney—Phillip. (B. June 16, 1830).
Carkhuff, Enoch and Julia Ann Daily—Phillip. (B. Mar. 7).
Daily, George and Mary Ann Carkhuff—Ann Maria. (B. Jan. 15).
Cole, David A. and Jane Hall—Catharine Hellenah. (B. Feb. 23).
Kinney, Peter and Margaret Hoppock—Peter. (B. Jan. 21).
July —. Van Fleet, John and Mary Ann Emmons—Catharine. (B. Nov. 27, 1830).

Spader, James V. and Emma—William Vanderveer. (B. Nov. 21, 1831).

June 3. Cole, Ezekiel T. and Gitty Berger—George. (B. Mar. 26).
——— and ———, —Magdalen Van Horn. (B. Feb. 22).
——— and ———, —Jacob Witlock. (B. Apr. 9).
——— and ———, —Catharine Elizabeth Robbins. (B. Aug. 4, 1831).

Aug. 14. Bergen, ——— and Margaret Daily—Jacob.

Sept. —. Kershow, Jacob and Margaret Brokaw—Abraham Stout. (B. Apr. 29).
Burnhart, Henry and Maria Smock—Cornelius Smock. (B. Apr. 14).
Hall, John D. and Gertrude M. Carkhuff—Asher Bartin. (B. Dec. 10, 1831).
Hall, Isaac and Eliza Ann Hageman—Isaac Hageman. (B. June 15).

Oct. 7. Van Derveer, Michael and Anna Maria Teneyck—Sarah Rebecca. (B. July 5).
Berkaw, Peter and Catharine Kershow—John Wyckoff. (B. July 27).
Davis, Bergen and Ann Messler—Abraham. (B. June 11).
Berkaw, Bergen and Ann Van Vleet—Susan. (B. Oct. 9, 1830).
Stout, Thomas and Eliza Lane—Abraham Praul. (B. Aug. 5)

14. Hoagland, John S. (Adult).
Van Vleet, Ann Lowe (wife of Aaron).
Van Horn, Mary Thompson (wife of James).

Dec. 2. Groenendyck, Daniel and ———, —Sarah Nevius.
——— and ———, —John. (B. Oct. 4).

1833.

Jan. 6. Post, John D. and Jane Van Cleef—Henry. (B. Oct. 31, 1832).
Kinney, Peter and Margaret Hoppock—Harriet. (B. Oct. 14, 1832).
Shirts, Henry and Mary Kinney—Aletta. (B. Aug. 10, 1832).
Voorhees, John P. and Magdalen Garretson—Samuel.

Feb. 3. Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick—Garret. (B. Nov. 14, 1832).
Alpaugh, Morris and Elizabeth Kinney—Mary Shirts. (B. May 12, 1832).

Apr. 7. Hall, Jacob and Judy Hoagland—Hellenah Maria. (B. Jan. 7).
Pumyea, Peter and Catharine S.—Sarah Ellen. (B. Nov. 22, 1832).
Schomp, George A. and Catharine—Ann. (B. Jan. 4).
Mettler, Levi and ———, —Caroline. (B. Dec. 24, 1832).
Cox, Henry and ———, —Gertrude Ann. (B. Feb. 6).
Daily, John. (Adult).
Daily, Maria. (Adult).

May 5. Ammerman, Henry and Maria Sutphin—William Henry. (B. Jan. 12).
Voorhees, John H. and Maria Kershaw—Peter Nevius. (B. Feb. 8).
June 2. Van Sickle, Aaron and Elen Orr—Sarah. (B. Oct. 17, 1832).
Lane, Andrew C. and Elen Emmons—Judy. (B. Jan. 10).
July 14. Cole, David S. and Jane Hall—Abraham. (B. May 10).
Dalley, George and Mary Ann Carkuff—Jacob. (B. Feb. 27).
Yauger, ——— and ——— Huyler—John.
Lutes, Fred and Sarah Cole—Mary. (B. Sept. 21, 1823); William. (B. Jan. 2, 1828).
Aug. 4. Dilley, Jacob and Eliza—Rebecca Johnson. (B. Apr. 5).
Johnston, John J. and Eliza Teneyck—Washington Scott. (B. Jan. 9).
Swackhammer, John and Ann Teneyck—Angelina. (B. Apr. 27).
Sept. 1. Burnhart, Stryker and Ann Smock—Peter. (B. Sept. 18, 1832).
Hageman, Andrew and Ann Hoagland—Elsey Elizabeth. (B. May 22).
Prost, Richard and Sarah Dalley—Ellen Van Sickle. (B. May 30).
Cole, David O. and Agnes Cutter—Elijah. (B. Feb. 14).
Oct. 6. Dalley, William and Elizabeth Latourette—Henry. (B. July 2).
Dilts, Daniel and Catharine Van Camp—Cornelius Van Camp. B. July 24).
Johnson, Abr'm H. and Elizabeth Sutphin—Phebe Sutphin. (B. Aug. 22).
Newman, Jonathan (grandson of Elizabeth Post). (B. June 25, 1829).
Thompson, John and Sarah Emmons—Gilbert Emmons. (B. June 15).

.1834.

Jan. —. Lutes, Frederick and ——— Cole—John Housel. (B. Nov. 19, 1833).
Daily, Hannah Merlatt (wife of W. Daily).
Feb. 2. Stryker, Christopher and Gitty Maria Hoagland—Dennis. (B. Nov. 24, 1833).
Hammer, John and Catharine P. Stryker—David Vail.
Enmons, Gilbert L. and Judy Lowe—Jane Quick. (B. Oct. 25, 1833).
Teneyck, Joseph S. and Mary Lane—Sarah Ann. (B. Aug. 26, 1833).
Mar. —. Voorhees, Cortland (wife, Jane Vlerebome, dec'd)—Jane. (B. Mar. 12, 1833).
Lane, Aaron and Catharine Hammer—Peter. (B. Dec. 20, 1833).
Apr. 6. Thompson, Joseph and Ann Post—Abraham. (B. Dec. 30, 1833).

Vroom, Richard and Eleanor Van Vleet—Susannah Ann. (B. Jan. 30).
Dalley, Nicholas and Catharine Demoot—Julius.

May 5. Brokaw, John and Elizabeth Lane—Jane. (B. Dec. 24, 1833).
Schenck, Israel and Catharine Gulick—Margaret. (B. Jan. 11).
Kershow, Jacob and Elizabeth Wyckoff—Gilbert Lane. (B. Feb. 9).
Orr, Jacob and Margaret Hall—Ellen Wyckoff. (B. Nov. 14, 1833).
Carkhuff, Jacob Q. and Catharine Cole—Philip. (B. Jan. 2).
——— and ———, —Simon Wyckoff. (B. Feb. 1).

June 7. Van Liew, John and Ann M. Woodruff—John Newton. (B. Jan. 30).
Teneyck, John C. and Margaret Risler—Peter. (B. Nov. 5, 1833).
Vossler, Jacob and Margaret Van Vleet—Jacob Theodore. (B. Feb. 25).
Nimaster, Henry and Hannah Dilley—Catharine Maria. (B. Dec. 8, 1833).
Wyckoff, Peter C. and Maria Lowe—John Newton. (B. Dec. 16, 1833).
Hall, Isaac and Eliza Ann Hageman—Dennis. (B. Mar. 29).
Hoppock, Amy. (Adult).
Jobs, Maria Post (widow of Thomas).
Van Horn, Gertrude Teneyck (wife of Thomas)

July 6. Johnson, Jacob H. and Lydia M. Wyckoff—Aaron. (B. Dec. 24, 1833).
Lane, John C. and Mary Ann Hageman—Martha Ann. (B. Apr. 17).
Wyckoff, Tunis and Ann Vossler—Mary.

Aug. —. Post, John D. and Jane Van Cleef—Cornelius Van Cleef. (B. May 26).

Sept. —. Mattis, John and Eliza Daley—Garret. (B. Sept. 15, 1833).
Schamp, Joseph and Maria Williams—Mary Ann. (B. May 18).
——— and Margaret Blackwell—Mary Elizabeth Kline. (B. June 20).
Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick—Cornelius. (B. Aug. 7).
Hall, John D. and Gertrude Carkhuff—John Kline. (B. Jan. 19).
Davis, Bergun and ———, —Jane. (B. Dec. 28, 1833).
Stout, Abraham P. and ———, —Mary Ellen Teneyck. (B. Aug. 10).
Van Vleet, Andrew. (Adult?).
Voorhees, Jaquish. (Adult?).

Nov. —. Groenendyck, Daniel and Adrian Nevius—David Nevius. (B. Aug. 7).

Dec. 7. Thompson, Andrew and Susan Lane—Susan. (B. July 11).
Wyckoff, Jacob and Elizabeth Huffman—Martin. (B. Oct. 18).
Post, Catharine Dalley (wife of Peter)—Catharine. (B. Feb. 6).
Dalley, John and ———, —Sarah Maria. (B. Aug. 24).

1835.

Feb. 1. Cox, Henry and Sophia Ditmars—Teneyck Wyckoff. (B. Nov. 29, 1834).

Mar. —. Corzine, Cornelius and Sarah Wyckoff— ———.
Ammerman, Abraham and Eliza Ann Nailor—Theodore. (B. Nov. 27, 1834).

Apr. 12. Thompson, John and Sarah Emmons—Aaron Saxon. (B. Dec. 17, 1834).
Voorhees, John and Mary Kershow—Rulif Seburn. (B. Sept. 23, 1834).
Carkhuff, Enoch and Julia Ann Daily—Mahlon. (B. Oct. 8, 1834).

May 10. Johnson, Jacob H. and Lydia M. Wyckoff—Ann Elizabeth Wyckoff. (B. Mar. 13).
Berger, John and Sarah Van Vleet—David Van Vleet. (B. Jan. 16).
Lowe, Jacob C. and Phebe Kershow—Peter. (B. Feb. 27).
23. Davis, George and Sarah Cole—Peter. (B. Feb. 4).
Dally, Tunis and ——— Smock—Jacob Van Derveer. (B. Sept. 26, 1834).
Bougner, Sarah Case (wife of Wm.).
Staats (colored man of Cortland Voorhees).
31. Garrabrant, John and Rachel Newel—John Newel. (B. May 11, 1834).

June 7. Reger, John and Charity Van Houten—Henry Weaver. (B. Sept. 19, 1834).
Kinney, Peter and Margaret Hoppock—Mary Hoppock. (B. Dec. 29, 1834).
Alpaugh, Morris and Elizabeth Kinney—Harriet. (B. Dec. 12, 1834).
Shirts, Henry and ——— Kinney—Henry Theodore. (B. Feb. 14).
Bergen, Simon and ——— Dalley—Mary Jane.

July 5. Stryker, Christopher and Gitty Maria Hoagland—Cornelius. (B. Jan. 1).
Dilts, Daniel and Catharine Van Camp—John Voorhees. (B. Nov. 30, 1834).
Mettler, Levi and Amy Baker—William. (B. July 15).

Sept. 6. Boyle, James H. and Mary Ann Wyckoff—John Henry. (B. June 20).
Lane, Aaron and Catharine Hammer—David. (B. July 20).

Oct. —. Dalley, George and Mary Ann Carkhuff—Sillenda. (B. June 17).
Schomp, Harriet Wrifford (wife of Peter I.).

Lane, Aaron, Jr. (Adult?).

Nov. 1. Van Derveer, Michael and Ann Maria Teneyck—Andrew Teneyck. (B. Aug. 12).
Mattis, Garret and Catharine Dalley—Richard Prost. (B. May 24).
Stryker, Jeremiah and Sarah Spader— ———. (B. Sept. 9).
Cole, David S. and Jane Hall—Martha Ann. (B. Sept. 6).
Lane, Andrew C. and Ellen Emmons—Sarah Maria. (B. Aug. 10).
Schamp, George A. and Catharine Wyckoff—David. (B. Aug. 15).
Rockafellow, Peter D. and Maria Ramsey—Hannah Elizabeth. (B. July 5).

1836.

Jan. 3. Cole, David O. and Agness Cutter—Sarah Elizabeth. (B. Aug. 2, 1835).
Johnson, John J. and Elizabeth Ten Eyck—Ellen Rebeccah. (B. Sept. 13, 1834).

Apr. —. Pumyea, Peter and Cath. S.—Lydia Ann. (B. Jan. 2).

May —. Van Sickle, Aaron and ——— Orr—Margaret Elizabeth. (B. Dec. 31, 1835).
Thompson, Joseph and Ann Post—William. (B. Jan. 19; died Jan. 27, 1837).
Hammer, John and Catharine Stryker—Abraham Stryker. (B. Mar. 8).

July 3. Mattis, John and Elizabeth Dalley—Eletta Ann Hiler. (B. Feb. 26, 1835).
Nimaster, Henry and Hannah Dalley—Hannah Dalley. (B. Feb. 7).
Dalley, William and Hannah Merlatt—William. (B. Mar. 11).
Gambler, Cor. C. and Jane Lane—Margaret Ann. (B. Dec. 18, 1835).
Brees, Henry and ——— Van Vleet—Garret. (B. Jan. 31).

Aug. 7. Hall, Isaac and ——— Hageman—Augustus. (B. May 30).
Daily, Isaac and Eliza Kline—John Jacob Kline

Sept. —. Vroom, Michael D. and Leah Ten Eyck—Michael. (B. July 14).
Lane, Cornelius C. and Gitty Hageman—John. (B. May 22).

Oct. 2. Reger, John and Gitty Van Houten—Mary Catharine. (B. Apr. 12).
Connet, Samuel and Hannah Thompson—Stephen.

Nov. 6. Lane, John C. and Mary A. Hageman—John. (B. Sept. 15).
Van Fleet, Abram and Matty Berger—Gitty Maria. (B. July 11).
Johnson, Abr. H. and Elizabeth Sutphin—Tunis Dalley. (B. July 5).
Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick—Peter Quick. (B. Sept. 16).
Orr, Jacob and Margaret Hall—Jane. (B. Aug. 19).

——— and ———, —Margaret Lucinda. (B. Aug. 5).
——— and ———, —Levi. (B. Sept. 17).
Hudnut, Elijah and Sarah Thompson—Margaret Stout. (B. May 24, 1832). Peter Thompson. (B. Sept. 28, 1834).
Dec. —. Van Fleet, Andrew and Jane Ann Kershow—Margaret Ann. (B. Sept. 8, 1835).
Dalley, Nicholas and Catharine Demott—John. (B. July 31).
Emmons, Gilbert S. and ———, —Garret Stryker. (B. Mar. 6).
Johnston, John J. and Elizabeth Teneyck—Levi. (B. June 12).

1837.
Jan. —. Voorhees, John H. and Maria Kershow—Mary Jane. (B. Oct. 1, 1836).
Vossler, Jacob and Margaret Van Fleet—Elias. (B. Oct. 2, 1836).
Corzine, Cornelius and Sarah Wyckoff—John Dacker. (B. Nov. 20, 1836).
Feb. —. Kinney, Peter and Margaret Hoppock—Margaret. (B. Oct. 15, 1836).
Alpaugh, Morris and Elizabeth Kinney—John. (B. Nov. 8, 1836).
Apr. —. Ammerman, Abr. and Eliza Naylor—Elizabeth. (B. Dec. 16, 1836).
Stryker, Thompson and ——— Hall—William Henry. (B. Oct. 30,1836).
Johnson, William and ———, —David Shirts. (B. Aug. 18, 1836).
May —. Mattis, Garret and Catharine Dalley—Mariah Dalley. (B. Mar. 10).
14. Cox, Henry and Sophia Ditmars—Lucretia. (B. Jan. 9).
Smith, Jacob S. and Martha S. Demott—John Demott. (B. Mar. 4).
Brokaw, Peter and Catharine Kershow—Gilbert Lane. (B. Dec. 9, 1836).
Garretson, John S. and Eliza Ann Howell—Henry Howell.
Baird, John and Sarah Brokaw—Sarah Elizabeth. (B. Nov. 13, 1836) .
June 3. Brokaw, John and Elizabeth Lane—Gilbert. (B. Jan. 28).
Hoagland, Christopher C. and Gertrude M. Labagh—Anna Maria. (B. Mar. 1).
Lowe, Isaac and Sarah———, —John Bergen.
Sutphin, Gilbert and Frances Caroline Horn—Mary Ann. (B. Jan. 1).
Dilley, Jacob and Eliza—Levi.
July 2. Rockafellow, Peter D. and Maria Ramsey—Anna Maria Van Liew. (B. Apr. 30).
Rockafellow, Joseph and Mary Ann Patten—Sarah Caroline. (B. Mar. 13).

Latourette, Peter and Agnes Johnson—Rebecca Elizabeth. (B. Apr. 4).
Morehead, John, Jr., and Sophia Van Doren—John. (B. Mar. 26).
Dalley, George and Mary Ann Carkhuff—Matilda. (B. Apr. 24).

July 2. Space, Conrad and Mariah Teneyck—Rebecca Ann. (B. Feb. 26).
Kershow, Jacob and Elizabeth—Phebe Elizabeth. (B. May 2).

Sept. —. ——— and ———, —Ebenezer K. Smock. (B. July 2).
——— and ———, —Henry Teatsworth.

Oct. —. Van Fleet, David and Maria Dolliver—William Henry. (B. July 19).
Hall, Peter D. and Rachel E. Huff—Gertrude Jane. (B. May 15).
Brees, ——— and ——— Van Fleet—Elizabeth Ann. (B. Aug. 12).

Nov. —. Carkhuff, Enoch and Julia Ann Dalley—Rhoda Maria. (B. Sept. 1).

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HISTORICAL NOTES AND COMMENTS

BY THE EDITOR

Tuition and Board 100 Years Ago

Almost one hundred years ago there was a famous boarding school for young ladies in Princeton kept by a Miss Hanna. The building in which the school was kept was a double house, with dormer windows and a semi-circular portico in front. Later it was owned by Col. Beatty, a distinguished Revolutionary officer, and it still remains intact, we believe although on another side of the street. That the school was first-class in its day has often been stated by those who remembered it. There now lies before us a bill for tuition in that school, and it may interest some of our readers who are sending daughters to some distant boarding-school to contrast the expenses per term of then and now. We are not privileged to print the name of the family concerned, but, otherwise, the full bill reads:

"Dr. Mr. ——— to E. Hanna.

To tuition of his daughter one session -	$9.00
Fuel for session - - - - -	.62½
Framing, lining, varnishing, etc, a map -	1.00
	$10.62½

The young lady who went to this school boarded with a family in Princeton, and this is a copy of the bill for board, etc.:

"——— To ———, Dr.

To 43 weeks board for daughter @ 1.25	$53.75
To green bonnet	2.45
To sundries	1.00
	$57.20

The first bill is for one quarter and the second for the full school year. It will not take much calculation to show that the entire cost of board and tuition (not to add the trifling extras) for forty-three weeks (if four sessions) was about $89.75.

Constables in 1788

A slip of paper found recently loosely laid in the early "Court Minutes" of Somerset gives the following list of the constables in the county on Jan. 1, 1788: George Rowland, Isaac Underdonk, Peter Harpending, Abram Hall, Isaac Voorhees, Philip Harder, Isaac Striker, Daniel Sleight, Thomas Skillman, Garret Garritse, James Lowe, William Todd, Jonathan Pennington, Anthony Cozart.

An Early Western Settler

From time to time, as many must have noticed, the QUARTERLY names in its genealogical or other articles persons who left this county prior to the year 1800 and settled in another, and usually Western State. West New York State and Western Pennsylvania were considered "in the West," but the great Ohio country and Kentucky were the "real" West. We are always glad to print particulars of these migrations, but few facts are really known. Our forebears of that early day did not keep extended journals, or even diaries, of happenings, for the incidents of a Western journey were considered a matter of course. They little knew how such matters would now interest their descendants.

One of our recent finds is a statement by the son of a migrant to Ohio. It was sent to the Editor of the QUARTERLY about ten years ago, in answer to an inquiry, but has never been published, and has just reappeared in our little manuscript "barrel," for, like ministers, Editors must have a place of deposit for that which may some day prove of use.

Garret Voorhees was the son of Abraham Voorhees, of Neshanic, Somerset co. Abraham was b. Sept. 16, 1730. His wife was Mary Van Doren, dau. of Sheriff Abraham Van Dorn, of Middlebush, (the daughter not adhering to her father's spelling). Garret was b. June 9, 1763. On Jan. 15, 1790, he m. Cornelia Parsell, presumably of Somerset co., and then at once determined on seeking a home in another State. So the same year he started, with his wife, going to what was known as "the Red Stone" part of Pennsylvania. We judge this was York county, where red sandstone was plentiful and to which place many Somerset

families had gone. But that year found few of the Somerset residents remaining there; they had trecked off to New York State and Kentucky. The very next year, therefore, Garret started out again, and, says his son:

"In the Fall of 1791 Garret emigrated to Hamilton co., Ohio. He went down the river in a flat boat, and on the road they heard of Gen. Harmer's defeat by the Indians, and would have turned back, but the boat would not float up stream. They landed at the fort at Columbia, just above Cincinnati, and had to stay there until General Wayne defeated the Indians in 1794, when he and all his father's family moved on Section 33 (?) in a station house, and in the fall of the same year Garret Voorhees moved on the farm in said section where his youngest son, Harvey, now lives."

This Harvey was the writer of the foregoing, but has since deceased, in his 80th year. He was one of the most respected and useful men in his part of the county.

This settlement in Ohio by Garret antedated by two years the actual Miami Tract purchase of Judge Symmes, and we doubt if many other Jerseymen had gone to that State so early as 1792. Evidently he was a real pioneer. But his father, also, got the Ohio fever, and in 1794 he, too, with nine children (Garret, the fifth child, making ten in all) followed the same long trail across the mountains of Pennsylvania, and settled down in Hamilton county, Ohio. There at least seven of the children married, and to-day their descendants are numbered by the hundreds.

Which foregoing statement is a reminder of what many of our Somerset readers do not realize, that thousands, yes tens of thousands of persons of various surnames throughout the West can trace back their ancestry to this "Garden" of New Jersey. If a few of these thousands only knew of the existence and value of the past seven volumes of the QUARTERLY we should not need for subscribers to continue it indefinitely.

Where Were These Two Early Places?

On June 17, 1716, there was baptised at Nine-Mile Run, which was a mile northeast of Ten-Mile Run in Franklin twsp., this county, children of Daniel Schoemaker, who (the children) were recorded as born "at Sumerfelt on the Raritans." Sumerfelt is but a German name for Summerfield, not so far a remove from Summerville, or Somerville, as may be supposed. But certainly it was *not* Somerville. We have not heretofore seen any reference to such a place in the county, and the query is, where was it?

In a will, recorded at Trenton in 1745, made by Benjamin Hall, of Piscataway, he mentions his "cousin, Daniel Blackford, Jr., of New Mil-

ford, Somerset county." This Daniel, Jr., resided, as we think, in Bound Brook. Was there an attempt at this time to change the name of Bound Brook to New Milford? If not, where was New Milford?

Military Order of 1865 and Commission of 1793

The present generation hardly know of the local military events of the War of the Rebellion, by which we mean the formation and practice of local companies which never went to the War and so did not obtain the publication of their members' names in the official rolls of the nation. In fact the history of these companies, formed in every county, perhaps chiefly for self-defense, has never been written, and probably never will be. It is even now too late to secure the facts. We are reminded of these home companies, however, by the following order which has come into our hands. Our readers will readily recognize who "Captain" Corle, and "Brigadier-General" Voorhees were—both now deceased:

HEADQUARTERS, SOMERSET BRIGADE,
September 4th, 1865.

To Calvin Corle, Esq.

You are hereby authorized and directed to take into your charge for drill exercise and improvement Company Number Twelve of this Brigade, until superseded by lawful authority. Said Company is directed to obey you accordingly. This is your warrant.

Witness my hand

J. V. VOORHEES,
Acting Brigadier General.

Quite similar to the home defense guards of 1865 were the militiamen of the years succeeding the Revolution. They, too, did not expect to be called out to actual warfare but were to be prepared for it. Some of them were used to suppress the Whisky Insurrection in 1794, and others, much later, found the real War of 1812 on their hands, but, as a rule, the State militia did not get into any actual fighting and only came together on "training days." The following paper of 1793 shows how an officer was then commissioned:

THE STATE OF NEW-JERSEY,

"To David Nevius, Gentleman:

"Whereas the Commissioner of the County of Somerset hath certified to the Commander in Chief of this State the completion of a Company called the Second Company in the Fifth Battalion in the Third Regiment of the Militia in the said County, and that you were duly chosen by the said Company to be Lieutenant of the said Company: You are therefore to take the said Company into your charge and care as Lieutenant thereof, and duly to exercise both Officers and Soldiers of the said Company in Arms; and as they are hereby directed to obey you as their Lieutenant, you are likewise to obey and follow such Orders and Directions, from time to time as you shall receive from superior Officer or Officers;

and for your so doing this shall be your Commission. In Testimony whereof the great Seal of the said State is hereunto affixed.

"Witness Richard Howell Esquire, Governor, Captain-General and Commander in Chief in and over the State of New Jersey and Territories thereunto belonging, Chancellor and Ordinary in the same, at Trenton, the fifth day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three. R'D. HOWELL.

"By the Governor,
BOWES REED, Sec'y."

"Sermons in Stones"

A fine old gentleman, himself a writer of history, but now deceased, wrote out the following in 1900 concerning some gravestones in the Lamington churchyard, adding to it what he termed a "pasquinade."

"In the old Lamington churchyard may be found what is perhaps the most appropriate poetic stanza that was ever engraved on a sepulchral stone. A certain tall, coarse, gaunt dark-featured and wealthy farmer of the neighborhood, having a voice of thunder, kept his meek and patient wife in terror of his explosions all her days. Even in his moments of so-called 'good humor' his general aspect of sternness and hoarse rumbling tones were sufficiently fear-inspiring to all the members of his household. At last the gentle consort died, and the bereaved husband, feeling the extent of his personal loss, and wishing perhaps to mark his appreciation of her always submissive temper and placid Christian character, caused these metrical lines to be inscribed on the tombstone erected above her grave.

"'Let friends no more my sufferings mourn,
Nor view my relics with concern,
But cease to drop the pitying tear,
I've passed beyond the reach of fear."

"The exquisite appropriateness of this borrowed stanza at once commended itself to all the people of the neighborhood who were acquainted with the domestic life of the ill-mated pair.

"In the same old yard on an ancient stone, was once inscribed the following:

"'And his kind soul has took its flight
To reilms of endless night!'

"The *n* in 'night' was afterwards cut out and *l* substituted therefor, and in this amended form it remains to the present day.

"The following may be cited as a good example of a self-inflicted pasquinade. A farmer not so many miles from Lamington shamefully despoiled a burying-ground upon his place, by carting off the enclosing stone fence, cutting down several shade trees, and exposing the naked graves to the trampling feet of horses and cattle that roved at will over the farm. Close by the desecrated spot he has affixed to a tree a board on which is scratched: 'All trespassing on these premises forbidden under penalty of the law.'"

DEPARTMENT OF NOTES AND QUERIES

[187]. HENDRICK FISHER'S CHILDREN.—In our last QUARTERLY it was stated that no complete statement had been published of the children of Hendrick Fisher. A partial statement only is given in Chamber's "Early Germans" (p. 362), where seven are named, with no facts beyond baptismal dates except in one instance. This Revolutionary patriot was such an honor to Somerset that it seems as if more facts should be known, at least about his immediate family. Efforts to learn full particulars have, thus far, proven failures, except as below stated. Further information will be welcomed.

Before referring specifically to his children we note the interesting fact that we think we can state the full name of Hendrick's wife. No one thus far, to our knowledge, has given even a clue to the family to which she belonged. But we find, on the records of the First Reformed Church of New Brunswick, on May 27, 1757, the following entry:

"Lebytje Bries, wife of Hendrick Fisher," As Hendrick was a deacon of the same church in 1722, and an elder in 1727, it would be natural to suppose that "Lebytje," joining the church so late, was the wife of Hendrick's son Hendrick; but, as the baptisms below show, the first Hendrick, Jr., died before 1744 and the second Hendrick, Jr., was not baptised until that year. Hence it must have been the elder Hendrick's wife. Besides this, curiously enough, we find her name as "Elisabit Bries" on the earlier (1717) membership list of the New Brunswick church, then called the "Church of the River and Lawrence Brook." Why she joined the same church twice is a problem we cannot solve. "Lebetje" was one of the Dutch forms of Elizabeth. It frequently appears in that form in the baptismal record of Hendrick and "Lebetje" Fisher's children, though also as "Lisabet" and even "Effje."

Then who was Elizabeth Bries? Evidently the daughter of Volkert Hendrickse Bries and Neeltje Jans, who, before her marriage to Bries, had been the wife of Gerret Dirckse Croegier. This perfectly coincides with the natural naming of Hendrick's children. After naming the first son Hendrick and the first daughter Elizabeth (after himself and wife), he names the next son Volkert and the next daughter Neeltje.

We only know of Voekert H. Bries that he was a farmer of Brooklyn; married Neeltje (Janse) Croegier, April 1, 1680; after her death he married an Elizabeth Poulis. A Hendrick Bries seemed to have settled about 1699, at Three-Mile Run near New Brunswick. In 1717-'21 he was a deacon at New Brunswick. So both Hendrick Bries (no doubt Volkert's son) and Hendrick Fisher were co-officials, at nearly the same

time, in the same church; and we believe they became brothers-in-law. Hendrick Bries married Antje—(perhaps Powelson, as Cornelis and Antje Powelson are witnesses to a baptism of a child, Hendrick, Jr., on the Somerville records in 1719).

Instead of seven children, Hendrick Fisher had *fourteen* children, some being baptised at the First Reformed Church at New Brunswick and some at the First Reformed Church of Somerville. As Rev. Theodorus J. Frelinghuysen was pastor of both churches until 1747, this may be accounted for by supposing that Mr. and Mrs. Fisher went, when "baptismal day" came, to whichever church Mr. Frelinghuysen (Fisher's bosom friend as well as pastor) was serving on that Sunday. Mr. Fisher lived almost equidistant between the two congregations.

We must also now correct the supposition in the QUARTERLY article for January (p. 3), that Hendrick was probably married "about 1726." We had not then a knowledge of the dates in the New Brunswick baptismal record. He must have been married in 1721 or 1722.

The following, then, appear to have been Hendrick's children:

1. HENDRICK, bapt. May 8, 1823, at New Brunswick; entered as "Henderick;" d. before 1744 (when second of name bapt.)

2. ELISABETH, bapt. Nov. 15, 1824, at New Brunswick; d. before 1750 (when second of name bapt.); m. (license dated) May 4, 1744, John Field, of Middlesex co., who was living in 1774, when mentioned in first draft of Hendrick Fisher's will.

3. VOLKERT, bapt. Dec. 11, 1726, at Somerville (then Raritan); d. before 1774; m. (license dated) June 7, 1763, Elizabeth Smyth, of Monmouth co. In the early (1774) draft of his father's will Volkert's widow, Elizabeth, is named and these children: Hendrick; George; Elizabeth; Jane; Margaret. He probably lived near Bound Brook, on a place on which his brother John lived after his death. (See draft of Hendrick Fisher's will of Jan. 31, 1774, in "N. Bruns. Hist. Club Publications," No. 1, p. 35). No further trace of the children.

4. MARIA, bapt. May 4, 1729, at Somerville; d. before 1755 (when second of name bapt.). We think she m. Jacob Fulkerson, who resided in Bedminster twsp. on one of the Johnston farms. (See QUARTERLY, Vol. II, p. 187, where, in 1753, Fulkerson is referred to in the "Journals of Andrew Jonhston" as "Mr. Fisher's son-in-law," and as having "the character of an idle fellow"). In her father's will of 1778 her daughter, "Mary Fulkerson," is spoken of by name.

5. NELTJE, bapt. Oct. 24, 1731, at Somerville; m. (license dated) June 1, 1751, Hendrick Suydam, of Somerset co. She probably d. before

1778, as only her "children" (unnamed) and her husband are mentioned in her father's last will. This Suydam we have not yet identified.

6. JOHN, b. Feb. 17, 1734 (bapt. Mar. 24 at New Brunswick); d. May 18, 1814; m., Nov. 27, 1758, Margaret McCrea, who was b. Apr. 17, 1737, and d. June 14, 1819. Probably she was closely related to James McCrea, the hatter, who resided in Bound Brook in 1769. (See QUARTERLY, Vol. VII, p. 97, footnote). In 1778 he was living on a farm owned by his father, and doubtless always lived near Bound Brook. He also served in the Revolutionary War as a private, but we do not know his full record.

As to John's children, we at present only know of two. One, Minne, is mentioned in his grandfather's (Hendrick's) will. He may be the Minne Fisher who m. (license dated) Jan. 19, 1787, Mary Blaine, but what became of him seems to be unknown. The other known son was Hendrick, who m. Mary Brokaw; no date yet obtained. Nor do we know who Hendrick's children were, except one, Eliza Ellen, who was b. Feb. 8, 1810; d. Aug. 16, 1892; m., Jan. 5, 1831, Sylvanus Ayers, of Bound Brook, who was b. May 7, 1807, and d. Mar. 28, 1885. His ch. were (order unknown to the writer): Sylvanus Ayers, Jr., who m. Emma Lilly Coryell; William Henry Ayers, who m. Anna D. Staats; Eugene Ayers, who m. R. Annie Baldwin; Julia Ayers, who m. Peres Bonney, Jr.; Theresa S. Ayers, who m. Abraham V. Nelson; Robert Ayers; and Jane Agnes Ayers, who m. Ferdinand V. Rockafellow, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

7. MINNE, bapt. Aug. 15, 1736, at New Brunswick; d. in infancy.

8. MINNE (second), bapt. Mar. 20, 1738, at New Brunswick. Mentioned as assisting his father in procuring guns, ammunition, etc., in the Northern Expedition of the Colonial forces in 1750 (see last QUARTERLY, p. 7). There was a "Minny Fisher" in Ulster co., N. Y., as per census of 1790, who may have been he; had, apparently, a wife and five children.

9. ABRAHAM, bapt. Sept. 21, 1740, at Somerville. Mentioned in his father's will in 1778, as residing on a farm owned by his father, which an earlier will states was "at Lamington." No further trace, although some Fishers in Bedminster twsp. about 1825 may have been his children.

10. MARGARET, bapt. June 5, 1743, at Somerville; m. Dr. Austin Craig, of "near Pluckemin" (one record says "of Lamington"), who was b. 1748 and d. Aug. 31, 1785. Margaret survived him, but no further trace; she is mentioned in her father's will of 1778.

11. HENDRICK (second), bapt. Dec. 9, 1744, at Somerville; d. Jan., 1780; m. (license dated) June 7, 1764, Elizabeth Fordun. On Apr. 26, 1765, doubtless directly after his marriage, he purchased 4½ acres of

land at Bound Brook of William Haddon, schoolmaster (Trenton Deeds, Book B 3, p. 245), and he still owned this land in 1778 (as per his father's will). He survived his father only about two years. A picture supposed to be of Hendrick's wife is now in the possession of Mrs. J. G. Drake, of near Flagtown, a descendant of Hendrick's brother, Jeremiah. His will of Dec. 3, 1779, probat. Jan. 24, 1780 (Trenton Wills, Book 21, p. 311), names his wife, "Affey," and a son Hendrick; a grandson, "Thomas Fordun;" also his "brother-in-law," Dr. Aaron Craig. The son Hendrick, Dr. Craig and Col. William McDonald were his executors. Possibly this son Hendrick m. (license dated) Oct. 12, 1783, Elizabeth Blair, and he may be the "Henry Fisher" who d. intestate in 1826 (as per Somerset Surrogate records). A "Henry Fisher" served in Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck's co. of militia in the Revolution, who was probably Hendrick (11). No further traces of this family.

12. JEREMIAH, of Bound Brook, bapt. Sept. 1, 1746, at Somerville; d. Jan. 9, 1807; m. (license dated) Dec. 9, 1769, Catherine Brokaw, who was b. Oct. 28, 1749, and d. Jan. 6, 1832. Both are buried in the Hendrick Fisher farm burial-ground. Jeremiah was the acting executor of his father's estate and the heir to his farm, and he doubtless lived upon it. He sold the farm in 1796 to Capt. Creighton McCrea, and then (if we are correctly informed) built the house, still standing, a little nearer Bound Brook than his father's homestead, but on the opposite side of the road. Whether this be so or not, he certainly owned and operated the Middlebrook Hotel, as early references to it show; a house erected before the Revolution. His will of 1805 was probat. Feb. 27, 1807 (Som. Wills, Book A, p. 116). According to his will his children were (order unknown):

(a) Jeremiah, Jr., b. Oct. 7, 1770; d. Nov. 30, 1826; m. Maria Fulkerson, who was b. Apr. 1, 1775, and d. May 12, 1846. They are also buried in the Hendrick Fisher farm burial-ground. A descendant thinks this Jeremiah, and not his father, built the house alluded to under Jeremiah (12) above. He conducted during his lifetime the Middlebrook hotel, in which his children were born. Ch.: (1) Jeremiah, Jr., b. 1800; d. Mar. 16, 1819. (2) Philip E., b. 1802; m., Feb. 7, 1822, Nancy La Tourette, who d. May 30, 1861. Their ch. were Jeremiah, John L., Peter L. (all three d. young), Theodore, James, Julia, Voorhees, John L. (second), who m. Maria Merrill and was father of Frank Fisher, of South Bound Brook. (3) Sarah M., b. 1805; m., Mar. 1, 1827, Cornelius Rappelye, and had ch.: George, Sarah Louise, Henry (of Illinois). (4) Isaac J., b. 1809; d. 1876; m., Jan. 13, 1842, Elizabeth Linn. He also conducted the Middlebrook Hotel for a long series of years, and had ch.: Savilla M., who m. Israel Coddington, father of ex-Judge Wil-

liam A. Coddington, of Plainfield; John L. D., who m. Irene M. Van Syckle; Sarah Louise, who succeeded her father in keeping the Middlebrook Hotel and is still living; and Jeremiah. (5) James Van Duyn, of South Bound Brook, b. Sept. 6, 1811; d. Jan. 13, 1891; m., Jan. 21, 1846, Sarah Ann Eldert, who d. 1910; and had ch.: George N., who m. Josephine Merlette; Ann Maria, who m. William H. Schomp, of Hopewell; Sarah Louise, who m. J. S. Doyle; John Ditmars, unm.; Henry, who m. Minnie Brokaw; and Elizabeth, who m. Jacob G. Drake, of near Flagtown, N. J., and who has gathered many traditions of her ancestral line, (among others that when Hendrick Fisher, the patriot, had his house entered by the British and his cattle taken away, he took refuge in the mountains where his friends took him food secretly).

(b) Elizabeth, b. about 1776; d. Feb. 21, 1796.

(c) Ann, who m. a Staats.

(d) Catherine, who m. an Abraham Fisher.

(e) Maria.

(f) Isaac, a clergyman, whom we have not further traced.

(g) Hendrick (perhaps the Hendrick Fisher, b. 1782, who d. Dec., 1809, as per tombstone in the family burial-ground before referred to).

(h) John.

(i) Sarah, b. about 1790; d. Mar. 27, 1807. (The dates of Sarah, as of her sister Elizabeth, are gathered from tombstones in the Fisher burial-ground).

13. Elizabeth (second), bapt. June 16, 1750, at New Brunswick. From her father's wills we know she had married and had children, but probably died between 1774 and 1778. Whom she married is unknown.

14. Maria (second), bapt. June 7, 1755, at Somerville. No further trace.

In Hendrick's draft of a will in 1774, as published by the New Brunswick Hist. Society, a daughter "Mille" is spoken of, probably a misreading for "Nelle," for in the same draft he distinctly states he has "four daughters," and these must have been Neltje, Margaret, Elizabeth (second), and Maria (second).

The late Rev. Jacob Frazee, of Knoxville, Tenn., was a descendant of Hendrick Fisher, but we have not learned in what line.

One curious matter concerning Hendrick Fisher we have discovered since the article in the January Quarterly, that not only is his name included in a list of the freeholders of Piscataway twsp., Middlesex county, of 1748, but that in the will of Rev. John Cross, of Basking Ridge, dated 1739, probated in 1748, one of his executors was "Hendrick Fisher, of Piscataway." It would thus seem as if, while a freeholder in Piscataway (though non-resident) in 1748, he had actually resided there in

1739 and previously. This is not improbable, as his father was, doubtless, on the homestead across the Raritan.

A deed on record at Trenton, dated July 29, 1767, from Martin Ryerson, of Readington, to "Henry Fisher, Esq.," and Peter Schenk, Esq., of Somerset co., conveying two tracts of land, consisting of 169 acres, in Roxbury twsp., Morris co., adjoining the "Falls of Alamintong" (Lamington), is the only deed we have found of record conveying land to or from Hendrick Fisher. It may be one of the sons of Hendrick located on this land, but this is conjectural only. No son died in Morris co., so far as the records show.

In the article upon Hendrick in the last QUARTERLY (footnote, p. 14), it was inadvertently stated that the "Frelinghuysen Hotel" was the same in its day as the "Middlebrook Hotel." It should have been said that the former hotel was the "Harpending House," in late years owned by Dr. B. B. Matthews, later called the "Frelinghuysen House," but not until some years after the event noted in the footnote referred to.

The Editor of the QUARTERLY recently visited the old farm burial-ground of Hendrick Fisher, and found the tombstone of Hendrick in a crumbling condition. Only a portion of his name appears, as the red sandstone is rapidly disintegrating. The following are the burials in this ground so far as they can be read. Several stones are wholly illegible, some of which may or may not originally have had inscriptions:

Fisher, Catherine (wife of Jeremiah) d. Jan. 6, 1832, aged 82 yrs., 2 mos., 8 dys.
Fisher, Caty Ann (dau. of Isaac and Mary Fisher), d. May 6, 1813, aged 8 yrs., 4 mos., 6 dys.
Fisher, Elizabeth (dau. of Jeremiah and Catherine Fisher), d. Feb. 21, 1796, in 21st yr.
Fisher, Hendrick, d. Aug. 14, 1779 [error for 1778], in 82nd yr.
Fisher, Hendrick, d. Dec., 1809, in 28th yr.
Fisher, Jeremiah, d. Jan. 9, 1807, in 61st yr.
Fisher, Jeremiah (son of Jeremiah and Maria), d. Mar. 16, 1816, aged 19 yrs., 9 dys.
Fisher, Jeremiah, d. Nov. 30, 1826, aged 56 yrs., 1 mo., 23 dys.
Fisher, Jeremiah (son of Philip and Nancy), d. Mar. 10, 1824.
Fisher, John Latourettè (son of Philip and Nancy), d. Sept. 10, 1829, aged 3 mos., 11 dys.
Fisher, Maria, d. Oct. 24, 1810, in 19th yr.
Fisher, Maria (wife of Jeremiah), d. May 12, 1846, aged 71 yrs., 1 mo., 11 dys.
Fisher, Peter La Tourette (son of Philip and Nancy), d. July 20, 1827, aged 4 mos., 3 dys.
Fisher, Sarah (dau. of Jeremiah and Catherine), d. Mar. 27, 1805, aged 17 yrs., 2 mos., 10 dys.
Van Nortwick, Margaret Maria (dau. of Simeon and Eleanor), d. Mar.

23, 1809, aged 2 yrs., 6 mos., 6 dys. [Relationship of this family to the Fisher family unknown].
[undecipherable], d., aged 56 yrs., 23 dys.

[188]. VAN DORN—SCHENCK.—"Aaron Van Dorn, of Peapack, Somerset co., m. Ghacy (Gesha) Schenck, dau. of Jan Schenck and Jacomintje Couwenhoven. Who were Jan. Schenck's ancestors?"

(L. D. K., Collins, Iowa).

[Jan Schenck was b. Jan. 22, 1721, and d. Jan. 27, 1749, when only twenty-eight. He m. Jacomintje Nov. 26, 1741. He was the son of Roeliff Schenck and Geeje Hendrickson; grandson of Jan. Schenck and Sarah Couwenhoven; great-grandson of Roeloff Martense Schenck, the immigrant and Neeltje Van Couwenhoven. Dates of all these are easily procurable.—EDITOR].

[189]. EARL OF STIRLING'S LAND.—Inquiries are made from time to time as to the amount of land owned in New Jersey by the Earl of Stirling. We are not yet prepared to answer the question. The quantity was very large. Somewhere we have seen it stated that in Hunterdon county he had title to 15,305 acres. One of his tracts near Potterstown contained 1,457 acres; another in these townships (Lebanon, Kingwood and Alexandria) contained 4,516 acres; the rest remain to be looked up in the records. As James Alexander, the Earl's father, was owner of an immense quantity of real estate in New Jersey, including the land at Basking Ridge, this county, much of which his son inherited, it is doubtful if the Earl's full ownership can be discovered. Most of it, as is well known, was sold by Commissioners during the Revolution.

[190]. COL. JOHN VAN DYKE.—"Information wanted of Col. John Van Dyke, of Somerset, Loyalist in the Revolution."

(E. B., London, Eng.).

[Col. John Van Dyke was the only Somerset Tory of the Van Dyke name, so far as our information goes, and certainly the only one of his immediate family. His father was John Van Dyke and his mother Annatje ———, of Harlingen. Col. John, the eldest son, was b. April 17, 1747; d. at Harlingen, June 23, 1811; m., Nov. 17, 1761, Rebecca Van Dyke (dau. of Roeloff Van Dyke and Catherine Emans), his first cousin. Rebecca d. Feb. 21, 1807. They had these ch.: Margaret, who m. Major Abner Houghton; Rulif; Catherine; Ann; Rebecca, who m. Garret Beekman; Elizabeth, who m. Benjamin Gulick; Sarah, and John, Jr. Col. Van Dyke was a Colonel in the British army before the Revolution, which is said to account for his loyalty to Great Britain, or, as a descendant states it, his loyalty to his oath of allegiance. After the War he went to England; then resided in Nova Scotia, but finally returned to his Harlingen home and d. there.—EDITOR].

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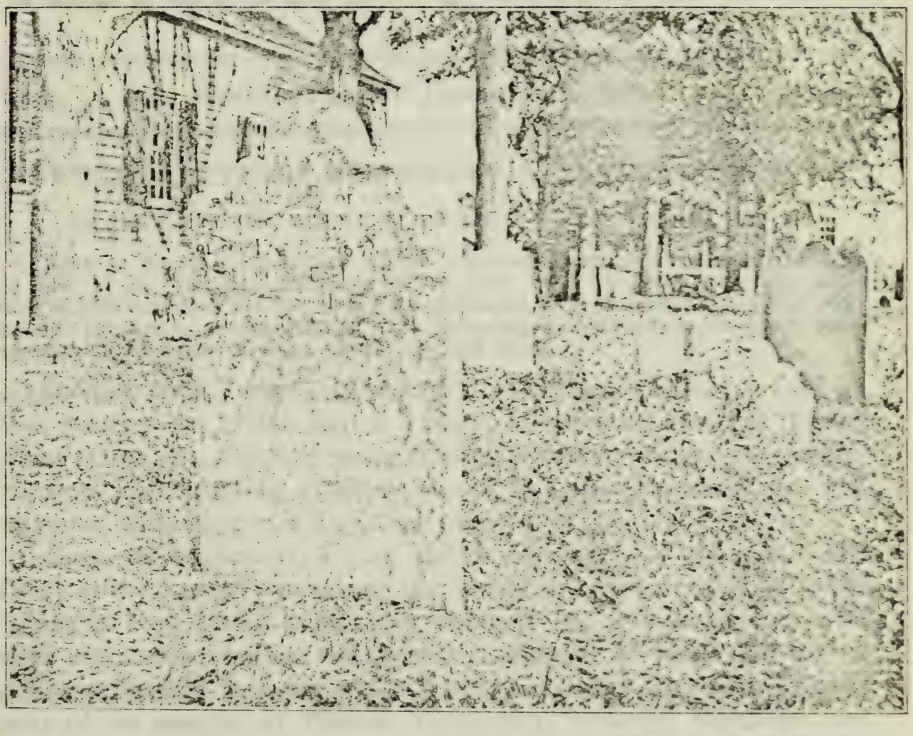


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OLD LUTHERAN CHURCHYARD AT PLUCKEMIN

Capt. Leslie's Stone in Foreground



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RECOLLECTIONS OF SOMERVILLE, CIRCA 1835-'42

BY THE LATE REV. ELBERT S. PORTER, D. D., CLAVERACK, N. Y.

[NOTE BY EDITOR.—The author of the following letter, now reprinted from an old issue of the "Christian Intelligencer" of New York City, was born near Millstone in 1820 and died Feb. 26, 1888. He graduated from Princeton College in 1839 and was licensed to preach in 1842. The following Reminiscences, therefore, have reference to the period between about 1835 and 1842].

SOMERVILLE, NEW JERSEY, is the capital of Somerset County. Like all other places in the Middle States, it has so taken on the face and fashion of the recent age, that one seeing it now, with its enlargements, embellishments and throbbing activities, would find scanty material for any picture of the village as it lies in my memory.

From its beginnings it was and is beautiful for situation. The Valley of the Raritan was among the first of the fairest and most fertile regions in New Jersey to be taken and held for agricultural uses. Its north and south branches run through landscapes of wonderful charm, and meet to make the river which waters and drains with its tributaries parts of the counties of Warren, Hunterdon, Somerset, Middlesex and Mercer. Though many years have gone since, with the warm enthusiasm of youth, I walked or loitered, or read or wrote, in "sequestered solitude," or with congenial companionship, beside the softly flowing waters of the Raritan, still it is the one river that will ever run with brightest lustre before my remembered visions of the past.

Mr. William J. Thompson was at the head of the Somerville Academy when I was placed under his care and instruction. He was a full and exact scholar. He had the art of inciting his pupils to study. Reared in the church of Readington and graduated at Rutgers College, he had enjoyed very ample opportunities for broadening the foundations of his knowledge. With a warm heart, capacious and active brain, and an innate nobility of spirit, he could never be settled into any cast iron

groove of cold, pulseless surrender to a formal and perfunctory discharge of routine duties. Firm and authoritative, indeed sometimes to the verge of severity, still he was magnanimous, self-sacrificing, with not a bit of the pedant or pedagogue in his composition. Blond, blue-eyed, ruddy, of nervo-sanguineous temperament, he had a most attractive face—though not handsome—and a right princely bearing, which asserted the regnant force of the great soul within him. He was a born teacher. He knew how to translate crabbed mathematical problems into a species of epic eloquence, to make Latin and Greek texts disclose the honeyed sweetness of Hymettus, while Plato's bees seemed to repose as at home upon his lips, when, with his fervent and never-flagging enthusiasm, he commended to his pupils some striking beauties in the pages of classic writers. The boys who loved books and hard study found in Mr. Thompson a friend and benefactor, who aroused them to diligence in their studies, not by promising them that they were to be Presidents, Governors or Senators, but by awakening in them a hunger and thirst for the higher orders of knowledge.

I confess my own debt of gratitude to this rare and genuine teacher. For seven years I had been in a variety of schools, private and public, in town and country. At the age of a little less than fourteen years I was placed under the moulding and controlling influence of this, to me most suitable instructor. There was flogging in the British Navy and flogging in the United States Navy and flogging everywhere in the schools. Head and heart and palm and back were supposed to lie so closely and vitally conjoined, that a good whipping was the one short and easy method of mending morals and manners. At that day the whipping-post had but recently been abolished. Indeed, I remember to have seen "colored boys" receive that sort of persuasive, or dissuasive. The spectacle was horrid, cruel, inhumane, and degraded victims and oppressors alike.

Being an only son I never did anything wrong at home, of course, and but once remember to have seriously displeased my parents, and that was by breaking the Sabbath by making a social call after church service. In school it had been otherwise, and my experience had not been very pleasant and certainly not profitable. Neither the rattan, nor birch-whip, nor long ferule ever softened my temper, nor broke my will, nor taught me to love a teacher when a tyrant. These little personal incidents would not be worth mentioning, did they not throw some sidelight on the changes in public sentiment respecting the universal value of indiscriminate punishment.

Mr. Thompson boarded and lodged at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Cocks, who had also three or four students in their keeping

This juxtaposition enabled me to derive very special advantages therefrom. Scarcely an evening in term time passed but that I was in Mr. Thompson's room, and either talking over the lessons or else reading from histories, ancient or modern. Through his kindness I was introduced to the English classics, the Spectator, Rambler, Pope's and Milton's works, and many more of substantial value. He also encouraged me in the art of composition, reading and correcting my crude essays with patient care. Indeed, to so high a pitch did he raise my ambition to become a writer, that I invented the "Legend of Chimney Rock," and having rewritten it over and over again, carried it to Mr. Baldwin, editor and proprietor of the "Somerset Whig," who printed it on the first page of his paper. The "Legend" has, of course, long since drifted down into the abyss that swallows up all inane and useless trash. But Mr. Baldwin inoculated or vaccinated me with the virus of an ambition that has not yet quite run out. It took so well in my young, green boyhood that even now it remains to make the labor of composition a pleasure.

There cannot be many among my readers who have personal recollections of Frederick Cocks. His wife was a tall, good-faced, bright-eyed woman, with a tracery of care above her brows, and the bearing of a veteran who had done her part in the battle of life. Her husband belonged to the class of well-to-do, comfortable husbands who attend in subordinate capacity upon their wives, but take slight share in the management or government of affairs. Mr. Cocks, therefore, devoted himself to a consideration of national politics and the general welfare of society. He knew what his neighbors ought to do. Especially acute in all theological matters, he was swift to detect the flaws in an argument, whatever the side on which it appeared. His mind was judicial. He was happy among "flaws," proved to be such by the laws of his logical understanding. The boys liked and listened to him when, in his oracular moods, he condescended to expose the intellectual weaknesses of others than himself. In a day before newspapers had become plentiful and the world was for the most part in a cupboard with appropriate shelves, and its contents easily arranged thereon according to size and value, local politics afforded our talkative patriot and publicist the most attractive field for mental exercitation. And so he passed his days in persistent pleasure, derived from the exhibition of his forecasting wisdom respecting the larger and lesser concerns which attracted his expert sagacity.

Such characters are rare. Happy is the village that has one of them. A gentleman having leisure for limitless gossip is worth more than the

daily journal, or the post-office, or the telegraph, to all those who are eager to get news of things about to happen or that never will happen.

Dear, delightful old man! Full of life without purpose, of zeal without an object, of earnestness without an aim; troubled with many thoughts concentrated on the transient and the trivial—I leave here my passing tribute of praise for all you were to us youngsters, who were amused by your foibles and enriched by your kindness!

In those days Somerville had a plaza extending from the residence of Thomas A. Hartwell, Esq., on the west, to that of Judge William B. Gaston on the east. North of this open space stood the plain old brick Academy, and near it the long narrow lecture room of the First Church, the new brick edifice in which Rev. Abraham Messler had but recently been installed as pastor of the large congregation to whom he ministered so long and so well. That law and gospel might not be far apart, the courthouse and jail came next in the series of public buildings. But there was ample room and verge enough left for the boys to engage in athletic sports, base ball, foot ball, quoits, contests in jumping, running and boxing. These games or sports were of great value to those who participated in them. What the Isthmean or Nemean games of old renown were on a grander scale, these were on a smaller.

But the whole fashion of the plaza has disappeared. The Academy has fallen, and been replaced on another site. No longer do the youth gather there, to witness with daily and unsatisfied wonder the arrival and departure of the stage coaches, laden with the mail-bags and impetuous travellers. The skill of the drivers in wielding four horses, lashed to a spirited gallop under a ponderous whip, as though they were as one —that skill was to us a study, though it now is nearly a lost art.

Strangely does the present recall the past. It was among the English Lakes on the top of an English coach that I recalled as before my eyes the very horses and stages that had once disturbed the daily quietude of the rural streets of old Somerville.

ROLL OF SOMERSET (SOLOMON'S) LODGE, NO. 1, F. AND A. M., 1787-1829

BY REV. T. E. DAVIS, WASHINGTON, D. C.

[NOTE BY EDITOR.—By permission of the author we reproduce below the roll of Somerset (Solomon's) Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., as made out by him about thirty years ago from the original records, and given in an address at Bound Brook before Solomon's Lodge, No. 46. The preliminary portion of the address dealt with the origin of Masonry in Somerset. Basking Ridge was granted a Lodge, No. 10, in 1767, and it was through its influence that the Grand Lodge of New Jersey was formed in 1786. Nine members of the Basking Ridge Lodge affiliated with the Somerset Lodge when formed, which was by permission of the Grand Lodge at New Brunswick Dec. 18, 1786; warrant for same issued July 3, 1787. The name given was Somerset Lodge, No. 1, altered July 1, 1789, to Solomon's Lodge, No. 1. The location of the Lodge, originally, was at Pluckemin, where meetings were held from 1787 to 1794, and doubtless later. From 1802-'5 it met in Somerville; also from 1809-'15, and then varied between Somerville, Bound Brook and Middlebrook. The last recorded meeting was Oct. 8, 1829, when, the membership being greatly reduced, arrangements were made to surrender the warrant].

MEMBERS OF SOMERSET (SOLOMON'S) LODGE NO. 1

ON THE OLD records are the names of 213 members, with the occupation of many, and the date (usually) of their first connection with the Lodge. The first 16 members were the charter members. The complete roll follows:

William McKissack, physician, Bristol Lodge 25, No. 10.
James Linn, lawyer, Lodge, No. 10.
James Henry, farmer, Lodge No. 10.
Nathaniel Taylor, farmer.
Ezekiel Blue, farmer; demitted to Lodge No. 15 in 1798.
Joseph Crane, innkeeper.
John Porter, farmer.
George McDonald, lawyer.
Elisha Taylor, Lodge No. 10.
Col. John Taylor, farmer, Lodge No. 10.
Oliver Barnett, physician, Lodge No. 10.
Robert R. Henry, physician, Lodge No. 10.
Joseph Henry.
John Armstrong, farmer, Lodge No. 10.
William Linn.
John Brittin, farmer, Lodge No. 10.
James Anderson, physician, March 1, 1792.
John Taylor, joiner, March 1, 1792.
Jonathan Woolverton, May 7, 1792.
John Beatty, physician, Sept. 9, 1792.
Matthias Lane, Sept. 9, 1792.
——— Cochran, Sept. 9, 1792.
Col. William McDonald, farmer, Sept. 9, 1792.
John H. Schenck, physician, Sept. 9, 1792.
Abraham I. Voorhees, farmer, Nov. 29, 1792.
Burrowes Smith, cabinet-maker, Nov. 29, 1792.

Andrew Howell, gentleman, Apr. 4, 1793.
Jacob C. Ten Eyck, farmer, May 3, 1793.
William Dumont, farmer.
Richard Cruser, physician, June 6, 1793.
Joseph Stull, smith, June 6, 1793.
James Alexander, merchant, Sept. 5, 1793.
Nicholas A. Smith, (petition).
Caleb Brokaw, farmer, Sept. 5, 1793.
John Henry, physician, Nov. 7, 1793.
John Hardenbergh, farmer, Dec. 3, 1793.
Abraham Van Duyck, farmer, Dec. 3, 1793.
Peter D. Stryker, physician, Feb. 12, 1793.
Jacob Ten Eyck, Jr., farmer, Feb. 12, 1793.
James Tunison, farmer, Feb. 12, 1793.
Jacob Ten Eyck, Sr., farmer.
Timothy Brush.
Nicholas Perrine, farmer.
Christian Eoff, innkeeper, 1794.
Edward Howell, farmer.
John V. K. Taylor, joiner.
Daniel Jones, cordwainer, 1794.
John Anderson, farmer, Aug. 7, 1794.
Christopher Rockefellow, farmer, Aug. 7, 1794.
John Stevenson, miller, Aug. 7, 1794.
John Finley, innkeeper, Aug. 7, 1794.
Benjamin Hardenbergh, physician, Oct. 2, 1794.
Jacob I. Johnson, farmer, Oct. 2, 1794.
F. W. Montgomery, petition dated Sept. 18, 1894.
Thomas F. Montgomery, physician, Jan. 8, 1795.
Nathaniel Price, farmer, May 7, 1795.
Joseph Taylor, miller, June 4, 1795.
Jonas Chatburn, (petition, no date).
James Chatburn, innkeeper, Aug. 6, 1795.
John Meldrum, innkeeper.
John Smith, farmer.
John Taylor, (petition dated Sept. 3, 1795).
Aaron Boylan, lawyer.
James M. Carter, merchant.
George T. Tennery, 1800.
John Powers, innkeeper, July 2, 1801.
Samuel Bayles, farmer, March 4, 1803.
Lewis Kinnan, farmer, July 3, 1806.
Peter Roy, farmer, Aug. 6, 1806.
John T. Arrowsmith, Cap. U. S. Army.
Peter Coriell, farmer, Feb. 5, 1807.
Henry Drake, physician, June 4, 1807.
John Hill, merchant, July 2, 1807.
Jonathan Ford Morris, physician, Oct. 1, 1807.
William Teller, merchant, Nov. 5, 1807.
Israel Runyon, saddler, July 28, 1808.

Samuel Teller, innkeeper, March, 1808.
William Low, blacksmith, August, 1808.
James Henry, farmer, November, 1808.
Tunis Ten Eyck (petition dated Feb. 4, 1808).
Andrew Wallace.
Stephen McCoy (petition dated, June 2, 1808).
John H. Hurton, merchant, April 6, 1809.
Andrew Gaddis, stonemason, Sept. 28, 1809.
William S. Harris, blacksmith, Sept. 28, 1809.
Ephraim F. Ogden, hatter, Nov. 2, 1809.
George Flomerfelt, innkeeper, Dec. 7, 1809.
William D. Sherwood, farmer, Dec. 7, 1809.
Francis Vactor (petition dated Jan. 4, 1810).
Aaron Allen, farmer, Feb. 1, 1810.
Thomas D. Jenkins, teacher, March 5, 1810.
William Barnett, physician, Sept. 13, 1810.
David M. Kline, merchant, Nov. 8, 1810.
Henry Suydam, farmer, March 7, 1811.
Conrad Hardy, farmer, Aug. 1, 1811.
John I. Castner, innkeeper, Aug. 29, 1811.
William Willet, farmer, Sept. 26, 1811.
Alpheus Freeman, lawyer, Sept. 26, 1811.
John Outcalt, tailor, Sept. 26, 1811.
John Anderson, weaver, Sept. 26, 1811.
Peter W. Tilley (petition dated Feb. 7, 1811).
William Skillman, Jan. 23, 1812.
Samuel Perry, innkeeper, Jan. 23, 1812.
Peter Smiley, merchant, Dec. 17, 1812.
Edward Hill, merchant, Dec. 17, 1812.
John L. Thompson, merchant, Oct. 14, 1813.
John McIntosh, teacher, Oct. 28, 1813.
Joshua Farlee, Jan. 6, 1814.
Eliphalet Copp, physician, Feb. 23, 1815.
John Allen, Feb. 23, 1815.
Alexander Campbell, farmer, Jan. 16, 1809.
David E. Morris, May 18, 1815.
William Stewart, farmer, May 18, 1815.
Albert T. Cox, farmer, May 18, 1815.
Stephen P. Stryker, March 7, 1816.
A. C. McIntosh (petition dated Sept. 9, 1813).
Daniel Sargeant, innkeeper, May 9, 1816.
James Herring, portrait painter, June 16, 1816.
Frederick Cock, July 4, 1816.
Jonathan Doty, lawyer, July 20, 1816.
Nathan Stinson, Sept. 5, 1816.
Lyman Walbridge, teacher, Sept. 5, 1816.
Jacob Eoff, merchant, Sept. 5, 1816.
Peter Van Doren, merchant, Sept. 5, 1816.
Joseph Brown, farmer, Sept. 5, 1816.
Henry Gatzmer, miller, Oct. 31, 1816.

Peter B. Davis, merchant, Oct. 31, 1816.
John S. Duryee, miller, Oct. 31, 1816.
James Wells, fuller, Dec. 19, 1816.
James Stewart, couchmaker, Feb. 27, 1817.
Cornelius H. Eoff, merchant, March 27, 1817.
John Cox, merchant, March 27, 1817.
John Van Liew, farmer, March 27, 1817.
Israel H. Covert, teacher, March 27, 1817.
James Jenkins, merchant, March 27, 1817.
John I. Voorhees, farmer, May 1, 1817.
John Tuny, innkeeper, May 1, 1817.
Jacob Lazalier, hatter, May 1, 1817.
William Williamson, blacksmith, May 1, 1817.
Robert Watts, hatter, Oct. 9, 1817.
Ralph Glover, teacher, Oct. 9, 1817.
Joseph LaTourette, merchant, Oct. 9, 1817.
Samuel Cruser, Nov. 20, 1817.
Morris Welsh (petition dated June 6, 1816).
William R. Barnett (petition dated Aug. 21, 1817).
John Yatman, Dec. 18, 1817.
Peter Polhemus, farmer, Dec. 18, 1817.
Samuel D. Honeyman (petition dated Dec. 21, 1817).
Nicholas Arrowsmith, Apr. 16, 1818.
John Ryan, teacher, Apr. 16, 1818.
Peter Lott, Sept. 24, 1818.
Philip Myers, miller, Oct. 8, 1818.
John Harris, stonemason, Oct. 8, 1818.
Nathaniel Seely, Oct. 8, 1818.
Samuel Colthar (petition dated Oct. 8, 1818).
Jerome C. Rappelyea, Nov. 12, 1818.
Timothy Crane, innkeeper, Dec. 11, 1818.
Stephen Alward (petition dated April 1, 1819).
Benjamin De Camp, farmer, April 8, 1819.
James Bennet, April 8, 1819.
James A. Baldwin, April 8, 1819.
Abner Smalley, farmer, April 8, 1819.
John H. Kline, tailor, April 19, 1819.
William C. Morris, lawyer, May 6, 1819.
Absalom Martin, farmer, June 19, 1819.
John Staats, carpenter, Aug. 5, 1819.
Isaac Staats (petition dated Aug. 5, 1819).
Samuel Perry, Jr., Aug. 5, 1819.
E. D. Van Allen, Aug. 5, 1819.
Jacob Burtt, June 22, 1820.
Elkanah Ketcham, saddler, June 22, 1820.
William Van Arsdale, innkeeper, Sept. 21, 1820.
Benjamin Thomas, toll gate keeper, Sept. 21, 1820.
William O. H. Thomas, farmer, Sept. 21, 1820.
Alexander C. McIntosh, March 15, 1821.
Alpheus Coon, June 25, 1821.

Cornelius Anderson, July 12, 1821.
Tobias Boudinot, July 22, 1821.
Joseph G. Scofield, July 22, 1821.
William K. Post, Aug. 9, 1821.
John Waters, Aug. 9, 1821.
John Williams, Aug. 9, 1821.
Daniel F. Reynolds, Sept. 6, 1821.
Israel Ward, Nov. 8, 1821.
Edward Ferguson, Nov. 8, 1821.
Ralph Buck, Dec. 31, 1821.
Richard Jones, April 3, 1822.
William P. Morris, April 22, 1822.
James Cough, Aug. 8, 1822.
Morris M. Read, Oct. 30, 1822.
James Webster, merchant, Nov. 27, 1822.
John George Eberle, Nov. 27, 1822.
Moses Hetfield, tinsmith, Nov. 27, 1822.
Benjamin Rush Barnett, Dec. 25, 1822.
Samuel Hays, wheelwright, June 26, 1823.
Robert T. Houdinot, saddler, Aug. 21, 1823.
Charles Toms, merchant, July 8, 1824.
Ezekiel Blue, Dec. 30, 1824.
James Finley, March 31, 1825.
Joseph Doty, innkeeper, Sept. 22, 1825.
Abraham Schuyler, teacher, Sept. 26, 1825.
William B. Prall, farmer, Oct. 20, 1825.
John S. Prall, farmer, Oct. 20, 1825.
Charles Wyckoff, deputy sheriff, Feb. 16, 1826.
Nicholas Ludi, miner, Feb. 16, 1826.
David S. Ott, farmer, March 23, 1826.
James Fisher, farmer, March 23, 1826.
Richard R. Hall, farmer, March 23, 1826.
Daniel Osborn, hatter, Dec. 14, 1826.
William Barcalow, innkeeper, Dec. 14, 1826.
Garret N. Williamson (petition, no date).
John T. McCormick (petition, no date).
Andrew Ten Eick (petition, no date).

Members of Solomon's Lodge No. 1, who served in the War of the Revolution were:

Gen. John Beatty, Lieut.-Col. in 1775; prisoner in 1776; Col. and Commissary Gen. of Prisoners in 1779.

William McKissack, Assistant Surgeon, Capt. in Penn. Co.

Col. John Taylor, Colonel of Regiments in Burlington and Hunterdon; Col. 4th Regt., Hunterdon Militia, 1777; Col. of State troops, 1779.

Elisha Taylor, private, Hunterdon Militia.

John Armstrong, private, Capt. Conway's Co., 1st Batt., 1st Est.; private, Capt. Maxwell's Co., 2d Regt., Hunterdon.

John Brittin, private, 2d Regt., Sergeant Spencer's Regt., 1777.

Oliver Barnett, M. D., Surgeon, 4th Regt., Hunterdon Militia, 1776.

Col. James Linn, 1st Major, 1st Batt., Somerset Militia, 1776.

George McDonald, Quarter-Master's Sergeant, 2d Batt., 2d Est. Also 2d Regt.

James Henry, private, Somerset.

Jacob Ten Eyck, Lieut. and Capt. 1st Batt., Somerset.

Robert R. Henry, M. D., Surgeon's Mate in Gen. Hospital, Cont. Army, 1777.

Abraham Voorhees, Sergeant in Capt. Ten Eyck's Co., 1st Batt., Somerset.

Col. William McDonald, 2d Lieut., 2d Co., 3d Batt., 1st Est.

John V. R. Taylor, private, Militia.

James Anderson, Lieut. Hazen's Regt., Cont. Army.

John Taylor, private, Eastern Batt., Morris; also State troops.

Burrowes Smith, private, Hunterdon Militia.

John H. Schenck, private, Capt. Ten Eyck's Co., 2d Batt., Somerset; also Sergeant of same Company.

James Tunison, private, Somerset Militia.

Joseph Stull, private, Capt. Ten Eyck's Co., 1st Batt., Somerset.

Daniel Jones, private, 1st Batt., 2d Est., Cont. Army; also Capt. Scott's Co., 2d Batt., Somerset, also State troops.

Joseph Crane, private, Baldwin's Regt., Artificers, Cont. Army.

Christopher Rockafellow, private Capt. Phillips Co., 3d Regt., Hunterdon.

John Finley, private, 2d Batt., 2d Est.; Corporal, Capt. Ballard's Co., 3d Regt.

Nicholas Perrine, private, Somerset Militia.

John Smith, private, Capt. Anderson's Co., 4th Batt., 2d Est.; also Militia.

Jacob I. Johnson, private, Militia.

John Anderson, 1st Lieut., 6th Co., 3d Batt., 1st Est.; Capt. 4th Batt., 2d Est.; also Capt., Militia.

Joseph Taylor, private, Lee's Legion, Cont. Army; Bombardier, Capt. Neil's Co., Artillery.

Edward Howell, private, Capt. Polhemus' Co., 1st Batt., 1st Est.; Sergeant, 1st Regt.; wounded at Springfield, 1783.

Aaron Boylan, private, Capt. Piatt's Co., 1st Batt., 2d Est.; Corporal, Capt. Parker's Co., 1st Batt., Militia.

John Powers, private, Cont. Army; also Capt. Militia.

Samuel Bailey, private, Cont. Army.

Samuel Bayles, private, Capt. Morgan's Co., 2d Regt., Middlesex.

Jonathan Ford Morris, Surgeon's Mate, Gen. Hospital; Lieut., Proctor's Regt., Artillery; Surgeon, Militia.

John Hill, private, 3d Batt., 1st Est.; also Capt. Dickerson's Co., 3d Batt., 2d Est.

Alexander Campbell, private, Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck's Co., 1st Batt., Somerset.

Henry Suydam, Corp., Con. Army; Ensign, Capt. Cabele's Troop Light Horse.

Samuel Perry, private, Militia.

Aaron Allen, private, 3d Batt., 2d Est.

William M. Barnett, M. D., Surgeon, 1st Batt., 1st Est.; also 1st Regt.

Peter Van Doren, private, Somerset.

Cornelius Eoff, private, Somerset.

Robert Watts, Corp., Capt. Helen's Co., 2d Regt.

John Tumy, private, 1st Batt., 2d Est.; also 3d Regt.

John Cox, private, Cont. Army, Lieut. Berger's Co., Somerset Militia.

John Harris, private, Capt. Bond's Co., 4th Batt., 2d Est.; also in Capt. Ten Eyck's Co., 1st Batt., Somerset.

James Jenkins, private, 1st Batt., 2d Est.; also 1st Regt

David Morris, private, Capt. Cox's Co., 1st Regt.

John Ryan, private, Hazen's Regt. (2d Canadian), Cont. Army.

William Williamson, Capt., 2d Regt., Middlesex; Capt., Col. Neilson's Regt., State Troops.

John Staats, Sergeant, Minute Men; Wagonmaster; Dept. Quartermaster General.

William Van Arsdale, private, Somerset.

John Henry, Samuel Hayes, Abram Schuyler, John Voorhees, Jacob Johnson and William Post were also connected with the Army of the Revolution.

COLONEL FRELINGHUYSEN'S MUSTER ROLL OF 1778

SOMETIME ago we learned that there was preserved in the Library of Congress a Somerset muster roll of 1778, of certain members of Colonel Frederick Frelinghuysen's Regiment, but the information did not give further particulars. On application to United States Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen to ascertain if a copy of the same could be procured, the answer promptly came in a photographic reproduction of the manuscript, which was obtained at his solicitation and sent to us by his courtesy without expense.

We find the document most interesting in several respects. While it contains the names of only thirty-seven soldiers and from only three townships, Bridgewater, Bedminster and Bernards, it gives certain particulars of those soldiers which some of their descendants will prize.

Colonel Frelinghuysen, at the time named, (1778) was in command of the Fifth Battalion of the Somerset County Militia, and these thirty-seven volunteered from that Battalion to join the Continental troops for a nine months' service. The Fifth Battalion was then, we assume, at Valley Forge, where Washington's army had passed the hard Winter of 1777-'8, and which did not break up there until June. The men named in the muster roll as "new levies" for the Continental Line were receipted for there, as appears from the official receipt on the back of the roll, and which is quoted below (at the end of the list).

The endorsement on the outside of the roll is: "Muster Roll of Coll. Fred'k Frelinghuysen Recruits." Within, the roll is headed as follows:

"Muster Roll of the Recruits received from the 5th Battalion of Somerset County Melitia in State of N. Jersey Com'd by Col. Fred'k Frelinghuysen who are to serve in the Continent'l Army 9 months from the date hereof."

The roll that follows is in a tabular form of eleven columns, which we cannot well reproduce; so we have made up the record in the shape given below, which furnishes all the particulars of the table. The number after each name indicates the place the name occupies on the roll, and probably represents the order of enlistment, as in the roll the names are not alphabetical. We have arranged the names alphabetically for convenience of reference, and added in brackets a few comments:

THE MUSTER ROLL LIST

BODLE, NATHAN (28), of Bernards Twsp.; from Parker's Company; brown hair; age 20 years; 5 ft., 4 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Bellard's Co., 3rd Regiment, on May 21st. [Correct name Nathan Bodley].

BOYLAN, AARON (22), of Bernards Twsp.; from Parker's Company; black hair and eyes; age 29 years; 5 ft. 6 in. high; enlisted May 8th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

BRITAIN, JEREMIAH (5), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; black hair and eyes; age 21 years; 5 ft., 6 in. high; enlisted May 4; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st. [He later became Sergeant].

BROWN, ADAM (15) of Bedminster Twsp.; from Porter's Company; brown hair and eyes; age 19 years; 5 ft. 7 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

CAMPBELL, MCDON'D (30), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Company; light hair; age 19 years; 5 ft., 5 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Forman's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st.

COBB, MATTH'S (27), of Bernards Twsp.; from Parker's Company; brown hair; age 18 years; 5 ft., 4 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Cox's Co., 3rd Regiment, on May 21st. [He later became Sergeant].

COOK, GEORGE (10), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 5th Company; brown hair; age 33 years; 5 ft., 8 in. high; enlisted May 11th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

COON, DAN'L (13), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Company; black hair and eyes; age 20 years; 5 ft., 8 in. high; enlisted May 11; joined Capt. Forman's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st.

CRANE, ASA (36), of Bernards Twsp.; from 10th Company; brown hair and eyes; age 16 years; 5 ft., 1 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Company, 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

DICKSON, WM. (21), of Bernards Twsp.; from 2d Company; brown

hair and eyes; age 49 years; 5 ft., 6 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Forman's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st.

Doty, Peter (37), of Bernards Twsp.; from 10th Company; brown hair and eyes; age 16 years; 5 ft., 3 in. high; enlisted May 18th; joined Capt. Peatt's Company, 1st Regiment, on May 21st .

Dow, Fulkerd (12), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; brown hair, grey eyes; age 21 years; 6 ft. high; enlisted May 4; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

Duykink, Gerardus (1), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 5th Company; black hair and eyes; age 29 years; 5 ft. 7 in high; enlisted May 17. [Correct name, Duyckinck].

Haines, Sam'l (31), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Co.; brown hair; age 22 years; 5 ft., 6 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Forman's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st.

Johnston, Jno. (26), of Bernards Twsp.; from Parker's Company; brown hair; age 32 years; 5 ft., 10 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Bellard's Co., 3rd Regiment, on May 21st.

Lane, William (4), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; black hair, grey eyes; age 36 years; 5 ft., 9 in high; enlisted May 4; joined Capt. Forman's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st.

Lee, Thom's (20), of Bedminster Twsp.; from 3rd Company; black hair, grey eyes; age 27 years; 5 ft., 9 in. high; enlisted May 4th.

Mexcow, Conrod (24), of Bernards Twsp; from 2nd Company; brown hair; age 20 years; 5 ft., 2 in. high; enlisted May 11th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st. [Name entered by Stryker as Medio].

McGill, James (14), of Bedminster Twsp.; from Porter's Company; brown hair and eyes; age 28 years; 5 ft., 5 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

McGill, Jno. (16), of Bedminster Twsp.; from Porter's Company; dark brown hair; age 22 years; 5 ft., 4 in high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

McKinny, Joseph (32), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Co; brown hair; age 17 years; 5 ft., 11 in. high; enlisted May 15th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

McLeary, Dan'l (18), of Bedminster Twsp.; from Porter's Company; black hair, grey eyes; age 26 years; 5 ft., 5 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st. [Entered by Stryker as "Leary," not McLeary].

Netter, Jno. V. (2), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 1st Company; brown hair and eyes; age 19 years; 5 ft., 10 in. high; enlisted May 4; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

O'Lefferty, Henry (25), of Bernards Twsp.; from Parker's Company; brown hair; age 22 years; 5 ft., 7 in. high; enlisted May 7th; joined Capt. Bellard's Co., 3rd Regiment, on May 21st.

Perkins, Alex'r (33), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Company; black complexion; age 32 years; 5 ft., 8 in. high; enlisted May 9th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co.

Rickey, Cornel's (29), of Bernards Twsp.; from Parker's Co.; brown hair; age 18 years; 5 ft., 4 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Bellard's Co., 3rd Regiment, on May 21st.

ROLPH, RICH'D (35), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Company; brown hair and eyes; age 42 years; 6 ft. high; enlisted May 9th. [Entered as joining Capt. Peatt's Company, 1st Regiment, on May 21st, but evidently erased, as per certificate below].

SAUNDERS, TIMOTHY (19), of Bedminster Twsp.; from 3rd Company; brown hair, grey eyes; age 25 years; 5 ft., 6 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

SEERS, SAM'L (34), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Company; dark hair and eyes; age 47 years; 5 ft., 9 in. high; enlisted May 9th; joined Capt. Forman's Company, 4th Regiment, on May 21st. [Correct name, Sears].

SIMONSON, SAM'L (9), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 5th Company; negro, slender and tall; age 21 years; 5 ft., 8 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Anderson's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st.

STEWART, JNO. (11), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; brown hair and eyes; age 28 (?) years; 5 ft., 8 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

STORM, JNO. (7), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; brown hair and eyes; age 46 years; 5 ft., 9 in. high; enlisted May 18th. [Correct name, Storms].

STUART, DAVID (23), of Bernards Twsp.; from Corey's Company; brown hair; age 20 years; 5 ft., 9 in. high; enlisted May 6th; joined Capt. Forman's Co., 4th Regiment, on May 21st. [Correct name Stewart].

STULL, JOSEPH (3), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; brown hair, grey eyes; age 21 years; 5 ft., 9 in. high; enlisted May 4; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st. [Entered by Stryker as Stoll].

V.ARSDALL, JNO. (8), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; brown hair; age 16 years; 5 ft., 8 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st.

V.DE BERGH, PETER (6), of Bridgewater Twsp.; from 7th Company; brown hair and eyes; age 18 years; 5 ft., 5 in. high; enlisted May 4; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st

VOORHES, ABRAM V. (17), of Bedminster Twsp.; from 3rd Company; brown hair, grey eyes; age 22 years; 5 ft., 10 in. high; enlisted May 4th; joined Capt. Peatt's Co., 1st Regiment, on May 21st. [Correct name, Abraham Voorhees].

The receipt for these men is thus endorsed on the outside of the roll:

"CAMP VALLEY FORGE, May 21st, 1778.

"Received of Lt. Joseph Casterline the within mentioned New Levies except the underwritten Persons who have not yet joined:

"Class 1. Gerardus Burgher.
7. Jno. Storm.
20. Thom's Lee.
33. Alexand. Pickins.
35. Rich'd Rolph."

It is evident from the above list of volunteers that height or age was

not considered important; no modern requirements ruled out the brave lads and men who fought for independence. Heights ran from five feet one inch to six feet, and ages from sixteen to forty-nine. One was a colored man, for there was then no color line in the army; even slaves could enlist, with the consent of their masters.

Of the Continental Troop Captains named, Captain "Peatt" was Jacob Piatt; Captain Forman was Thomas M. Forman; Captain "Bellard" was Jeremiah Ballard. There were, however, three Captain Andersons in the Continental Army, and we cannot distinguish which is meant as commanding the company to which the "negro" went. As to the Captains in the militia, from whose Companies the men came, Captain Corey was Benjamin Corey; Captain Porter was Nathaniel Porter; Captain Parker was John Parker, all three being Somerset men.

Five of the men in the roll of enlistments are not found in the Stryker "Official Register," viz., McDonald Campbell, Gerardus Duyckinck, Samuel Haines, John V. Netter and Alexander Perkins.

DIRCK LOW'S PUBLIC BUSINESS

BY JOHN J. DE MOTT, METUCHEN, N. J.

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Affairs of Cornelius Low, Brother of Dirck

Cornelius Low left his home in the neighborhood of Neshanic in October, 1773, giving his business affairs into the hands of his eldest brother, Dirck. There is no indication of Cornelius' destination, nor his reason for leaving. He was still absent in 1778. On the Census List of Northumberland co., Pa., in 1790, a Cornelius Low, Sr., and a Cornelius Low and wife are given, with children; it may be the Cornelius above named went thither.

The account is opened by a payment of £20. made by Cornelius to Dirck, on Oct. 13, 1773. Following that are various receipts, evidently the result of business dealings which Cornelius had pending, up to May, 1777. The disbursements begin with a payment on Oct. 13, 1773, to Annatje, wife of Cornelius, of £1.3.4. On November 1, 1773, £9. was paid to "Cornelius Low, his son." A few of the other payments are:

1773. Lambert Kidwalner (Cadwallader?)
Wentje Vanderveer.
1774. Jonathan Sargent, Junior, Esq.
1774. Joseph Mattenson.
1775. William Hanna.
Catalintje Voorhees.

1776. Jacob Flagg.
1777. Isaac Hoff.
Hugh Hicks.
Andrew Van Fleet, in behalf of Gerrit Van Fleet, deceased.

The last payment rendered for the account of Cornelius is to Jacob Mattenson, on April 20, 1778.

By far the most interesting record in this connection is a draft of a letter which Dirck Low wrote to Cornelius. It is undated, but from the context it may be placed in October, 1776:

"Brother Cornelius.

"Sir: Received yours the second day of this instant, October, by which I understand that you are all in good health, which is one of the greatest blessings, next to Grace, that we can enjoy in this world. It is a thing that I can't write to you of my family, for I had both lameness and sickness in my family since harvest and is still like to continue.

"The matter between ——— and ——— is not brought to issue yet at law, so that matters now lay neutral. No quarrels nor debates of late. As for the matter between us and ———, this is as usual, and how long it will be so I cannot say, for this unhappy dispute between the mother country and the colonies causes a great trouble upon me, and the trouble and cost in my own family is so large, that I can't do as I would but must do as I can. . . .

"I don't choose to write to you of circumstances in our place, but this, that the people are much alarm'd. In New York they do expect to be besieged every day and great preparation is made for the engagement and much people move out the city. The Barracks in Brunswick are full already, and more other places, and, if so, we expect to be alarmed in our place to assist, especially those that are enlisted in the American service under Capt. Peter ten Eick, and many others."

Vendue of Mark Titsort

Dirck Low acted as custodian of the cash received as the result of a vendue held November 28, 1766, of the property of Mark Titsort (also written Tietsoort, Titsworth, etc.). The collection of this money extended until December, 1767. It was disbursed for various purposes over the same period. The total amount involved was £27.9.6. Mark Titsort appears to have been living at that time. Among the names mentioned are: Christopher Preston, Elihu Smith, Michael Hammer, Eshforbee Cock, Dirck Middagh, Wilhelmus Ver Brick.

Estate of Cornelius Low, Father of Dirck

Cornelius Low, father of Dirck, died in 1763. In a few years it developed that there were irregularities in the title of lands which Cornelius had owned. These dated back to 1727 and 1728. Considerable manœuvering was necessary in order to adjust everything. Philip Kear-

ney, of Amboy, was employed as counsel. Following shows what was done:

"A copy of the agreement between the devisees of James Alexander and the Executors of Joseph Murrey, deceased, of the one part, and the heirs of Cornelius Low, deceased, John Titsort and the heirs of Abraham Titsort, deceased, of the other part, concerning a tract of land situated and lying on the north side of the South Branch of Raritan River in Somerset County, is as viz:

James Alexander, Joseph Murrey, Daniel Hollenshead and Alexander MacDowell sold to Thomas Hall by deed dated November 14, 1728	230 acres for £100.0.0 proc.	
The same persons sold to John Biggs by deed dated June 20, 1727	200 acres for £130.0.0 proc.	
	430 acres	£230.0.0

It now appears this land is within prior survey to John Alford, John Person and Thomas Lambert.

The above mentioned grantors gave warrantees each for himself and not one for the other; therefore the executors of Mr. Murrey and the devisees of Mr. Alexander have only one-half to make good, which they are willing to do in the following manner, to pay the representatives of John Alford according to valuation made by Jonathan Sergant and Azarijah Dunham for 134½ acres is £465. 0.0

22 acres deducted for what the tract over runs what it was sold for is 74. 1.4

£390.18.8

To be paid by Alexander and Murrey £195.9.4

To pay John Person and Thomas Lambert for 158¾ acres the proportion the quantity bears to the whole 230 acres sold to Thomas Hall, which is £84.16.7

Interest thereof for 10 years at 8% is 67.16.8

Interest for 28 years and 5 months at 7% is ... 168.14.5

£321. 7.8

Cornelius Low, who now claims the land, says he purchased of John Person a year ago and pays interest for the money and therefore requires interest for the above sum of £321.7.8, which is thought reasonable and therefore allowed and added £22.9.10

£343.17. 6

In all, proc. £539. 6.10

Executors of Joseph Murrey to pay	£269.13.5	
Devisees of Alexander to pay	269.13.5	
Paid for land taken by John Person		£248.17.6
Paid for the land taken by Lambert		650. 0.0
In all, proc.		£898.17.6

"An account of the money recovered of the land which was taken away by John Alford, John Person and the heirs of Thomas Lambert, deceased. Every party's part is as viz.:

For the heirs of Cornelius Low, deceased	£50. 0. 0
Principle sum.	
Interest of said 50 pounds for 10 years at 8 per cent. is	40. 0. 0
Interest of said 50 pounds for 28 years and 5 months at 7 per cent. is	99. 8. 2
Interest of £321.7.8 for 1 year at 7 per cent.	22. 9.10
Proc.	£211.18. 0

For the heirs of Abraham Titsort deceased. Principal sum	£28. 8.9
Interest of said £28.8.9 for 10 years at 8 per cent. is	22.15.0
Interest of said £28.8.9 for 28 years and 5 months at 7 per cent. is	56. 9.6
For 6 acres and 1 quarter at valuation of £3.9.6 per acre is	21.14.4
	£129. 7.7

For John Titsort for 50 acres according to valuation of £3.9.6 per acre is £173.15.0

"Memorandum of the money received by Dirck Low as Executor for the heirs of Cornelius Low, deceased, and for the heirs of Abraham Titfort, deceased, being money which was recovered for a tract of land lying on the South Branch of Raritan River, which was taken away by a prior right of John Person and the heirs of Thomas Lambert.

1767, July 10.	Of John Stevense	£269.13. 5
1771, October 16.	Of Thomas Jones by the hand of Philip Kearney, Esq.	119.14. 4
October 17.	Of Thomas Jones	92.11.11
1774, October 13.	Of Thomas Jones by the hand of Philip Kearney, Esq.	57. 7. 2
Proc.		£539. 6.10

"Memorandum of the money paid out by the said Dirck Low:

1767 July 21.	To Cornelius Low	£12. 5. 1
July 24.	To James Olden for John Person	216. 0. 8
1769 Aug. 25.	To John Titsort	86.17. 6
1770 Feb. 5.	To the heirs of Abraham Titsort	64.13. 6
1771 Oct.. 28.	To John Titsort	71. 0. 0
	To the heirs of Titsort	48. 8. 6
1774 Oct. 13.	To Philip Kearney for cost	7. 7. 2

Nov. 9.	To the heirs of Titsort.....	16. 5. 6
	To Isaac Hoff in behalf of John Titsort....	15.17. 6
	To my self for my trouble.....	11. 5
Proc.		£539. 6.10

"Know ye whom it may concern that we whose names are hereunder written do hereby acknowledge that we have received on the twenty-fifth day of August, 1769, of John Titsort by the hands of Dirck Low the sum of Eighty-six pounds seventeen shillings and six pence, proclamation money, and on the twenty-eighth day of October, 1771, the sum of Seventy-one pounds of like money, and on the ninth day of November, 1774, the sum of Fifteen pounds seventeen shillings and six pence, being money which was recovered for land taken away by prior survey by John Alford, being our full due of such money so recovered, and we do hereby acquit and discharge the said John Titsort and Dirck Low their heirs, executors and administrators forever, as witness our hands and seals this ninth day of November, 1774.

Test: ISAAC HOFF [Seal]
PETER CLOVER. JOHN HOFF [Seal].

"Know ye whom it may concern that we whose names are hereunder written do hereby acknowledge that we have received of Dirck Low on the fifth Day of February, 1770, the sum of Ten thousand pounds fifteen shillings and seven pence, proclamation money, each of us, and on the fourth day of November, 1771, the sum of eight pounds one shilling and five pence of like money, each of us, and on the ninth day of November, 1774, the sum of Two pounds fourteen shillings and three pence, each of us, like money as above said, being money which was recovered this ninth day of November, 1774

Test, ABRAHAM TEITSOORTH [Seal].
PETER CLOVER. PETER TIETSOORT [Seal].
ISAAC X TITSORT [Seal].
(by mark)
JOHN TIETSORT [Seal].
ISAAC HOFF
In behalf of
MARGRIT TITSORT [Seal].

"Know ye whom it may concern that I, William Titsort, have received on the seventeenth day of October, 1776, the sum of Twenty one pounds eleven shillings and three pence proclamation money, being money which was recovered this seventeenth day of October, 1776.

Test. WILLIAM TIETSOORTH [Seal]
ABRAHAM TEITSOORTH

"Received this 17 Day of October, 1776, the sum of Two pounds nine shillings and eleven pence proc., being money for interest for said sum in the above receipt mentioned: I say received by me.

WILLIAM TIETSOORTH

"Whereas Cornelius Low, late of the Township of Reading, deceased, hath in his last will and testament appointed that the land should be divided among his four sons, namely, Dirck Low, Cornelius Low, John Low and Gerrit Low, and if any of said divided land or lands of said sons should be taken away by any right or rights, claim or claims, that then all the heirs of said deceased should bear an equal loss in proportion according to their legacies so bequeathed to them by said deceased: It now appears that the land of said Cornelius is taken away by a prior right of John Person and the heirs of Thomas Lambert, deceased, for which I have received this sixth day of June, 1771, the just and full sum of one hundred and eleven pounds proc., being my full demand of said Dirck Low for said rights, as witness my hand the day and date above written.

Test. CORNELIUS LOW.

ABRAHAM EMANS
JACOB EMENS

"Whereas there is an unequal division of the lands of Cornelius Low, late of the Township of Reading, deceased, made; and whereas Dirck Low has some of said land more than the other sons of said deceased, this therefore to acknowledge that we, the subscribers, of these presents, have received on the sixth day of June, 1771, the just and full sum of Twelve pounds sixteen shillings and three pence of said Dirck Low, being our full dues for the said parcel or quantity of lands as he has more or above us; as witness our hands the day and date above written

CORNELIUS LOW
GARRIT LOW
Test. JOHN LOW."

JACOB EMENS.

EARLY RECORDED WILLS IN SOMERSET—FROM 1804

EARLY RECORDS IN SURROGATE'S OFFICE

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MCGARVIN, SARAH, of Bernards twsp. Dated Sept. 23, 1811. Probat. Oct. 7, 1811. Names ch.: Margaret (wife of Cornelius Vermule); Rebekah (wife of Christopher Blazer); John. Executor—Thomas Lewis. Witnesses—Thomas McCoy, James M. Lewis, John Lewis. (A, p. 319).

PERRINE, NICHOLAS, of Bridgewater twsp. Dated Oct. 2, 1811. Probat. Oct. 17, 1811. Names ch.: Peter, John, Stephen, James, Nicholas, Henry, Catherine; also housekeeper, Anne Perrine. Executors—sons Peter, John and Stephen. Witnesses—John I. Castner, John Van Nostrand, Isaac Van Nostrand. (A, p. 321).

KELLY, DAVID, of Somerset co. Dated Aug. 21, 1811. Probat. Oct. 23, 1811. Names wife, Sarah; daus., Hannah Coon and Mary; gr. dau., Mary Morrison (dau. of my dau. Sarah Murphey; probably wife of

Thomas Murphey, living in "the Lake country"); grandson William (son of my son David, deceased); granddau. Anna Worth (dau. of my dau., Hannah Auton); sons, Charles, Benjamin; dau., Mary. Executors—son-in-law, Aaron Coon and Lefferd Waldron. Witnesses—Charles Toms, Martha Harris, Fenny Spencer. (A, p. 323).

NAVIUS (NEVIUS), PETER D., of Franklin twsp. Dated Oct. 4, 1811. Probat. Oct. 24, 1811. Names wife, Jane; sons David, Garret, Peter, John and Elbert. Executors—sons, David, Garret and Elbert. Witnesses—Elbert Dumont, Elbert Stothoff, Jaques Voorhees. (A, p. 325).

VANLIEW, DENICE, of Middlebush. Dated Aug. 31, 1811. Probat. Nov. 5, 1811. Names wife, Dinah; children of his sons, George, Dinah, Denice and Condit; daus., Ida, Mary, Dinah. Executors—brother, John Vanliew; son, John, and Peter Voorhees. Witness—Garret Voorhees, John Mitchell, John Mitchell, Jr. (A, p. 327).

COON, BENJAMIN, of Warren twsp. Dated Jan. 29, 1807. Probat, Nov. 25, 1811. Names wife, Elizabeth; her daus., Rebecca and Ann; sons, Levi, Benjamin, Nathan; daus., Mary (wife of Arch'd Corrington), Esther (wife of Thomas Auton), Elizabeth (wife of William Coon), Rachel (wife of Jesse Moor); Levi's son, Benjamin; Thomas Auton's son, John. Executors—son, Levi, and Abram Van Tyle; failing which, Arch'd Corrington and Isaac Auton. Witnesses—John Jennings, Thomas Terrill, William Worth, Lewis Terrill. (A, p. 330).

BULL, HANNAH, at present of "at the Rariton." Dated June 11, 1810. Probat. Dec. 23, 1811. Names niece, Mrs. Hannah Rattoone (dau. of my half brother, Rev. Dr. Abraham Beach, of New York City); Elizabeth and Cornelia Bull (daus. of my bro., Jonathan Bull, Esq., of Hartford, Conn.). Executors—Hannah Rattoone, Isaac Lawrence, Cornelius Lawrence. Witnesses—John L. Voorhees, John Wilson, Nicholas Wyckoff. (A, p. 333).

WILLIAMSON, ANN (widow of Court Williamson), of Montgomery twsp. Dated Nov. 28, 1805. Probat. Jan. 14, 1812. Names dau., Lucretia Williamson. Executors—brother, Peter Stryker, son-in-law, Jeremiah Williamson. Witnesses—John Reeve, Garret Van Zant, Ann Reeve. (A, p. 334).

ANDERSON, JAMES, of Somerset Co. Dated Dec. 5, 1811. Codicil dated Jan. 4, 1812. Probat. Jan 21, 1812. Names wife, Phebe; children, Mary Thompson, Betsy Todd, George, James, Jacob and Hannah. Executors—son, George, and Abraham Barkover. Witnesses—Hugh McEowen, Stephen Conkling, John Collyer, Charles Stewart. (A, p. 336).

SCHENK, ANN, of Hillsborough twsp. Dated May 19, 1809. Probat.

Feb. 15, 1812. Names son, John J.; daus., Nancy and Margaret; gr.dau., Ann Van Der Spiegel Schenk. Executors—son, John J., and son-in-law, [illegible] Witnesses—Peter Dumont Vroom, Willet Taylor, Peter D. Vroom. (A, p. 340).

ELSTON, SAMUEL, of Bernards twsp. Dated Jan. 25, 1812. Probat. Feb. 19, 1812. Names wife, Charity; children, Mary, Caleb, Joseph, Eunice and Thomas. Executor—Thomas Whitenack. Witnesses—Samuel Lang, Uriah Gunn (?), Lott Southard. (A, p. 343).

CORTELYOU, WILLIAM, of Hillsborough twsp. Dated Jan. 18, 1806. Probat. Mar. 28, 1812. Names wife, Eve; also Stephen Terhune, Altie Sutphin (wife of John Sutphin), heirs of Garret Terhune, deceased, Mary Van Arsdalen, William Cortelyou (son of Albin); brothers, Harman and Hendrick. Executors—John Sutphin and cousin Harman Cortelyou. Witnesses—Jacobus Garritson, John Nevius, Peter Garritson. (A, p. 345).

VAN CLEEF, DORCUS, widow, of Hillsborough twsp. Dated Mar. 27, 1812. Probat. Apr. 7, 1812. Names sons, Peter, Isaac, Jacob, Abraham, John, Cornelius and Van Marter; daus., Polly Stryker and Jane Dumont; granddaus., Dorcus Van Doren and Dorcus Dumont. Executor—Martin Schenck. Witnesses—Garret Ditmars, Peter Hulick, Anne Garritson. (A, p. 346).

DILS, MORRIS, of Hillsborough twsp. Dated May 7, 1810. Probat. Apr. 23, 1812. Names wife, Mary; sons, Daniel, Morris, Jacob; daus., Anne (wife of Herbert Rodanbock), Christian (wife of John Bowman), Mary (wife of Peter Bowman), Catherine (wife of William Martial), Elizabeth (wife of John Low), Charity (wife of Tobias Hall), Rebekah, Sarah (wife of John Olloger). Executor—Jacob Williamson, miller. (A, p. 348).

TALMAGE, GOYN, of Bridgewater twsp. Dated April 15, 1812. Probat. April 29, 1812. Names father, Thomas Talmage; brothers, Jehiel Talmage; friend, Andrew Howell; wife, Magdalane; son, Thomas; daus., Catherine, Mary, Martina (all minors). Executors—first three above named. Witnesses—David Lyon, Dickinson Miller, Mary Talmage. (A, p. 351).

STEEL, WILLIAM, of Bernards twsp. Dated Apr. 16, 1812. Probat. May 2, 1812. Names wife, Charity; wife's niece, Elizabeth Bell; Congregation of Baskingridge; Congregation of Bedminster; Maria L. Compton (dau. of Job Compton, Jr.); nephew, Francis Lawrence, Jr.; wife's sister, Catherine Bell, "and her children, excepting her dau. Elizabeth;" children of said Francis Lawrence, Jr., viz., Aaron, Eunice, William. Executors—Henry Southard and Lott Southard. Witnesses—Nath'l Whitaker, Nathan Benjamin, Job Compton, Jun'r. (A, p. 354).

Babcock, Simeon, of Warren twsp. Dated Feb. 26, 1812. Probat. May 5, 1812. Names wife, Jane; Gideon Wooden, pastor of the "Seven day church" in Piscataway. Executors—wife (Jane), Abraham Dunham, Lewis Titsworth (of Piscataway). Witnesses—Lewis Terrill, Squier Terrill, Thomas Terrill. (A, p. 356).

Rappleye, Jane, of Franklin twsp.; will made "by special agreement between me and my present husband, Jeromus Rapelye, previous to our marriage." Dated Apr. 22, 1811. Probat. May 11, 1812. Names "daus. of my brothers John and Jacobus Bergen," viz., Maria (wife of Matthew Edgerton), Jane (wife of Simon Hillyer), Seytie (wife of Jacob Bergen), Maria (wife of Abraham Staats), and Jane Bergen; "children of my brother John Bergen," viz., Evert, Cornelius, Maria, Jane and Seytie; and "children of my brother Jacobus Bergen," viz., Evert, John, Zachariah, Maria, Jane and James, Executors—Matthew Edgerton and Abraham I. Staats. Witnesses—James Bergen, Zacheus Bergen, Peter D. Vroom. (A, p. 359).

Dehart, Cornelius, of Franklin twsp. Dated Oct. 1, 1801. Probat. May 23, 1812. Names wife, Maria; son, Cornelius; grandson, Henderick Cortelyou (minor). Executors—wife and son, Cornelius. Witnesses—Cornelius Gulick, Samuel Gulick, Nicholas Veghte. (A, p. 361).

Voorhees, Gerardus, of Hillsborough twsp. Dated May 18, 1812. Probat. July 6, 1812. Names wife, Maria; sons Garret, John, Peter, Kourt, James (all minors); dau., Margaret. Executors—brother, Koert G. Voorhees, and brother-in-law, Peter Quick. Witnesses—James Stryker, Peter P. Voorhees, John Sutphin. (A, p. 364).

Worth, John, of Bernards twsp. Dated Mar. 13, 1806. Probat. July 13, 1812. Names wife, Anna; sons, John, William, Joseph; father, William Worth, deceased; Joseph Pound; Isaac Stewart; brother, Benjamin; daus., Sarah and Mary Worth. Executors—sons, William, Joseph and John, and friend David Smalley, Sr. Witnesses—David Smalley, Elias Smalley, Mahlon Smalley. (A, p. 367).

Ten Eick, Nelly, widow, of Somerset co. Dated Dec. 20, 1809. Probat. July 15, 1812. Names daus., Arrianty, Nelly, Joanna, Jane, Phebe and Sarah (wife of Garret Tunison); grandsons, Cornelius and Ferdinand Vanderveer; granddau., Cornelia Ten Eick (wife of Cornelius Vanhorn; late husband, Matthew Ten Eick, dec'd; son, Andrew; grandson, Henry Vanderveer. Witnesses—John Whitenack, Mary M. Howell, Gertrud Whitenack. (A, p. 370).

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1815.

Mar. 8. Cornell, Alvert and Auly Van Asdulen [Arsdalen]—Magdalen, b. Feb. 24.
Brokaw, Abraham and Mariah Stryker—Henry, b. Dec. 10, 1814.
Gano, Jacob and Jimimy Hoagland—Lucy, b. Apr. 18, 1814.

July —. Phillips, Nathaniel and Polly Bainbridge—Caty Ann, b. June 21.

Aug. 20. Garretson, Peter and Elizebeth Polhemus—Cornellia Ann, b. July 15.

Oct. —. Wyckoff, William and Caterine Voorhees—Jimimy Vechte, b. Sept. 2.
Disborough, J. H., and Sarah Van Mater—Catherine, b. June 20.
Prawl, Wm. Geo., and Polly Van Asdalem—Auvin, b. Aug. 4.

Dec. 17. Williamson, Peter and Maria Nevius—Nichlos Nevius, b. Nov. 2.

31. Terhune, Rulyph and Sarah Van Doren—John, b. Oct. 22.
Van Norstrand, Christopher and Elizebeth French—Jane, b. Sept. 30.

1816.

Feb. 4. Eno, C., and Letty Van Doren—Catherine, b. Nov. 4. 1815.

25. Staats, Henry and Elizebeth Schenk—Elizebeth, b. Dec. 31, 1815.

Mar. 3. Root, Milo and Mary French—Dennis Field, b. Jan. 22.

Apr. 7. Van Pelt, James and Sarah Todd—William Todd, b. Nov. 27, 1815.
Blen, James and Ellenor Smith—Henry Stryker, b. Sept. 16, 1815.

17. Frelinhuisen, Fred. and Jane Dumont—Peter Dumont, b. Feb. 8.

May 11. Voorhees, William and Auslike Van Doren—Catherine Ann, b. Nov. 6, 1815.
Cornell, Peter and Elizebeth Van Doren—William Van Doren, b. Mar. 26.

July —. Disborough, Daniel and Matilda Van Liew—Sarah, b. May 27.

Aug. 26. Cornell, S., and Jane Van Nuys—John, b. July 2.

Sept. 29. Smith, Abraham and Abigal Mitchell—Elihu, b. March —.

Oct. 6. Munsort, Abraham and Asey Hoagland—Mary, b. July 4.

Oct. 20. Van Clief, Van Mater, and Pheby Hoagland—Jawl Van Doren, b. July 18.

Nov. 2. Christopher, Joseph and Clemons Shepherd—Aellti, b. Sept. 8.

Danes, Abraham and Lea Hollinshed—Samuel, b. Sept. 19.
Hoagland, Abraham and Jane Van Doren—Abraham Van Doren, b. July 9.
Beekman, John and Jane Van Dervier—John Beekman, b. Sept. 2.
9. Ditmars, John and Laura Broach—Rulif Terhune, b. Oct. 20.
Dec. 22. Wyckoff, John M., and Maria Voorhees—Sarah, b. Sept. 30.

1817.

Feb. 2. Baird, Abraham and Sarah Morgan—Elizebeth, b. Nov. 30, 1816.
Mar. 2. Zabriskie, John L. and Sarah Bannock—Catherine Shuyler, b. Jan. 22.
9. Van Huis, Cornellius and Eliza Merrill—Catherine, b. Jan. 2.
Van Der Veer, John and Magdalen Staats—Mariah Quick, b. Jan. 5.
Staats, Abraham and Jane Tison—John, b. Dec. 2, 1816.
30. Van Nostrand, John and Sarah Van Asdalen—John, b. Nov. 2, 1816.
Apr. 20. Prawl, William P., and Mary Van Asdalen—Phillip Van Asdalem, b. Mar. 22.
Van Der Vier, Cornellius and Mariah Eldit—Samuel Eldit, b. Mar. 22.
June 20. Staats, Henry and Elizebeth Schenk—Phœbe, b. Apr. 16.
27. ———, William M., and Margaret Ditmars—Thoms Eugene, b. Apr. 19.
Garretson, Garret and Gertrude Wyckoff—Rachel Ann, b. May 6.
Thompson, Peter and Mary Brower—Lucy Van Kupp, b. Dec. 21, 1816.
Cornell, William and Lydia Stryker—Mariah Van Nostrand, b. May 6.
Wychoff, Abraham and Catherine Voorhees—Ann, b. May 11.
Hoagland, William and Catherine Smith—Jonathan Smith, b. Mar. 6.
July 6. Brokaw, Abraham and Mariah Stryker—Peter Stryker, b. Mar. 3.
Flagg, Sarah.
Voorhees, Abraham and Sarah Flagg—[Child's name not given].
Van Zandt, Peter and Maggy Stryker—Peter, b. June 17.
Aug. —. Van Nuys, ——— and ——— —Gertrude, b. May 26.
Hoagland, John and Mary Fisher—Sarah Mariah, b. Mar. 29.
Disborough, John and ——— —Henry.
Sept. —. Thomas, Samuel and Mariah Broach—Asa, b. July 22.
Hendrickson, ——— and Elizebeth Willimson—William Schenk, b. May 23.

Stryker, Henry and Elizebeth Van Alts—Catherine Brokaw, b. July 22.

21. Frelinhuisen, Fred. and Jane Dumont—Frederick, b. Aug. 4.
Bergen, Jacob and Ellen Barnum—Cornellius Barnum, b. Aug. 10.

Oct. 19. Hoagland, Cornellius and Mary Brokaw—Tunis, b. Aug. 27.
Staats, William and Mariah Bergen—Eroit Bergen, b. Sept. 3.

Oct. 10. Ditmars, John and Gertrude Staats—Maria, b. Sept. 5.
Williams, Bradley and Martha Voorhees—Eliza Ann, b. Sept. 7.

Nov. 16. Stryker, Isaac and Getty Voorhees—Isaac Voorhees, b. Aug. 30.
Gulick, Daniel and Aulida Van Arsdale—Ann Schonnoch, b. Oct. 17.

30. Probrisco, Jul. and Sarah Van Liew—Sarah, b. July 21.
Skillman, Jacob and Elizebeth Prawl—Peter Voorhees, b. Oct. 17.

Dec. 22. Van Clief, James and Mary Van Clief—James Hagamen, b. Oct. 28.

1818.

Jan. 2. Stryker, Henry and Loretta Thompson—Peter, b. Nov. 22, 1817.

Mar. 5. Elmendorf, James and Elizebeth Frelinghuisen—James Yar, b. Sept. 9, 1817.

May 3. Broot, Milo and Mary ——— —Auven, b. Mar. 14.

10. Covenhoven, Cornellius and Ann Schenk—Dinah, b. Feb. 3.

Aug. 18. Bergen, Everet and Jane Stryker—Phebe, b. June 24.
Staats, John and Mary Veghte—Elizabeth, b. July 18.

Oct. 2. Nevius, David, Jr., and Margaret Schureman—Margaret, b. Aug. 2.

17. Voorhees, Joseph and Dianah Van Doren—Adline, b. Sept. 7.

25. Baird, William and Sarah Morgan—Alice, b. Sept. 14.

Nov. —. Van Nostrand, Christopher and Elizebeth ——— —Elizebeth, b. July 14.

Dec. 13. Blackwell, William and Elizebeth Courser—John, b. Aug. 19.

20. Van Nuys, James and Sarah Staats—Catherine Jane, b. Nov. 18.

27. Wilson, William and Jane Bergan—Mynard, b. Nov. 10.

1819.

Jan. 17. Van Der Veer, Cornellius and Mariah Eldut—Elizebeth, b. Nov. 30, 1818.
Wychoff, John and Mariah Voorhees—Peter Voorhees, b. Nov. 29, 1818.

31. Van Zandt, John and Elizebeth Smith—Rachel, b. Dec. 17, 1818.

Mar. 7. Hoagland, John and Mariah Fisher—William, b. Dec. 19, 1818.
Praal, William George and Mary Van Asdalem—William George, b. Jan. 12.
Dumount, Peter and Anny Stryker—Rebecca, b. Jan. 31.
14. Van Nuys, Cornellius and Eliza Merrill—Mary Ann, b. Jan. 18.
May 23. Hertog, John and Mary Dunyen—William, b. Dec. 14, 1818.
30. Voorhees, William and Aulicke Van Doren—Aulicke, b. Apr. 17.
July 4. Frelinghuisen, Fred. and Jane Dumount—Mariah Louisa, b. Mar. 21.
Stryker, S. and Sarah ——— —Catherine Van Doen, b. May 5.
11. Van Clief, Jacob and Elizebeth Gray—Cornelius Suydam, b. May 17.
Van Nostrand, John and Sarah Van Asdalen—Cornelius Van Asdalen, b. Apr. 20.
Stryeker, Henery and Elizebeth Van Alsts—Magdalen Bogart, b. June 22.
18. Wilson, John and Hannah Wychoff—Henry, b. Apr. 16.
Williamson, Peter and Mariah Nevius—William, b. May 31.
25. Van Clief, Van Mater and Phebe Hoagland—Dorcas, b. June 14.
Aug. 15. Stryker, William and Polly Schenk—Jane Smith, b. Sept. 16, 1818.
22. Disborough, John and Sarah Van Mater—Elizabeth.
Elmendorf, James and Elizabeth Frelinghuisen—Sarah Frelinghuisen, b. May 15.
Sept. 26. Hoagland, Cornelius and Mary Brokaw—Mary Adline, b. Aug. 26.
Davis, William and Gertrude Schenk—Josiah Schenk, b. July 31.
Oct. 10. Hulds, James and Mary Hoagland—Mariah, b. July 24.
Nov. 19. Van Nuys, John and Lucy Brokaw—Henry Van Harlingen, b. Oct. 14.
Dec. 26. Garretson, Court and Peggy Covenhoven—Nichlos Covhoven, b. Oct. 30.

1820.

Jan. 9. Heinz, Frederick and Abigal Lenis—Sophia Lenis, b. Oct. 13, 1819.
16. Van Clief, Unius and Elizabeth Roberts—Jacob A., b. Nov. 19, 1819.
Feb. 13. Christopher, Joseph and Clemons Sherpheard—John, b. Dec. 8, 1819.
Mar. 12. Thomas, Samuel and Maria Broach—John.
Wilson, William and Jane Bergan—Martha Voorhees.
19. Root, Milo M. and Mary French—William Suydam, b. Mar. 2.

26. Mahisch, William and Margaret Ditmars—Theodore, b. Nov. 20, 1819.
Baird, Abraham and Sarah Morgan—Mandred Morgan, b. Feb. 17.
Broach, Cornellius and Lucy ——— —Gertrude, b. Jan. 22.

Apr. 2. Covenhoven, Cornellius and Ann Schenk—Letty, b. Nov. 19.

16. Gulick, Daniel and Auchlide Van Asdalem—John Van Asdalem.

23. Van Clief, Abraham and Mariah Wortman—Ann Field, b. Mar. —.
Brokaw, William and Mariah Stryker—William Cornell, b. Jan. 16.

May 15. Van Zandt, ——— and Maggy Stryker—Mariah Stryker, b. Apr. 11.

22. Garretson, Peter and Elizebeth Polhemus—Sarah, b. Apr. 2.
Genoa [Gano], Jacob and Jimimy Hoagland—Susannah, b. Apr. 7.

June 27. Waters, John and Ann Baker—William, b. May 17.

Aug. 27. Stryker, John and Ann Brokaw—Jasper, b. July 10.

Sept. 24. Staats, John and Mary Veghte—Abraham, b. July 12.

Oct. 8. Voorhees, Joseph and Dinah Van Doren—Dinah, b. Sept. 2.

22. Munsort, William and Osey Hoagland—John V. Doren, b. May 14.
Voorhees, Lucas and Mariah Cornell—Cornelius, b. July 22.

Nov. 19. Cornell, Peter and Elizebeth Van Doren—Sarah Ogden, b. Sept. 26.

Dec. 24. Staats, Peter and Catherine Voorhees—William, b. Oct. 10.

1821.

Jan. 23. Sutphen, John and Letty Staats—John, b. Dec. 14, 1820.
Staats, Rynier and Catherine Voorhees—John, b. Dec. 2, 1820.

Feb. 11. Stryker, Henry and Elizebeth Alts—Aletta Allen, b. Dec. 31, 1820.

Mar. 23. Blackwell, William and Catherine Couser—Fred. Couser, b. Dec. 19, 1820.
Locke, Peter and Polly Van Dyne—Ann Mariah, b. Nov. 12, 1820.

Apr. 11. Barnhardt, Gershum and Nelly Lott—James Elmendorf, b. Mar. 15.
Nevius, Schurman and Catherine Polhemus—Hanry, b. Feb. 18.

21. Hoagland, John and Mary Fisher—Catherine, b. Mar. 1.
Davis, William and Gertrude Schenck—Catherine Leah, b. Dec. 5, 1820.

28. Probasco, Jacob and Sarah Van Liue—Dinah Ann, b. Oct. 21, 1820.

June 3. Stryker, Jeremith and Sarah ——— —Mary, b. Mar. 12.
Stryker, John and Caty Smith—John, b. Apr. 4.

June 31(?) Fine, Jacob and Mariah Stryker—Henry Stryker, b. Apr. 22.
July 8. Broach, Cornellius and Lucy Garthardt—Sophia, b. May 4.
Phillips, Nathaniel and Mary Bainbridge—Hannah, b. Apr. 12.
21. McKisach, William and Margaret Ditmars—Daniel Polhemus, b. May 19.
Williamson, Peter and Mariah Nevius—Ann Maria, b. May 2.
Danifer [Denison], John and Mary Finley—Helen Connack, b. May 11.
Aug. 12. Van Clief, Jacob S., and Elizebeth Gray—John Gray, b. June 10.
Sept. 17. Smith, William and Abigal Mitchell—Eleazer, b. Apr. 30.
Oct. 7. Hoagland, William and Catherine Smith—Mariah, b. July 25.
Van Clief, John and Jane Ann Duryea—Paul Duryea, b. July 31.
20. Prawl, William George and Mary Van Asdalem—Jacob V. Nostrand, b. Mar. 3.
Netnick [Van Nortwick], Simeon and Caty Van Doren—John Van Doren, b. Aug. 19.
Dec. 16. Van Zandt, John and Elizebeth Miller—Elizebeth Ann, b. Oct. 21.
Van Zandt, Peter and Magdalen Stryker—Catherine Ann, b. Sept. 24.

1822.

Jan. 13. Jipson, John and Hannah Wychoff—Catty Ann, b. Nov. 23, 1821.
20. Elmendorf, James and Elizebeth Y. Frelinhuisen—John Sohishi [Zabriskie], b. Oct. 25, 1821.
Feb. 10. Hoagland, Cornelius and Mary Brokaw—Catherine, b. Dec. 4, 1821.
Stryker, Henry and Leilla Thompson—Edward V. Harlingen, b. Jan. 3.
Mar. 10. Voorhees, John and Magdalen Garretson—Peter, b. Dec. 19, 1821.
Locke, Peter and Mary Van Dyne—Ellen, b. Oct. 13, 1821.
Apr. 17. Hultz, James and Mary Hoagland—James, b. Jan. 16.
Wilson, William and Jane Bergan—[Child's name not given].
Root, Milo and Mary French—Sarah Brice, b. Feb. 8.
13. Smith, Jacob and Mariah Van Nostrand—Jonothan, b. Feb. 26.
20. Garretson, Garret and Johannah Sutphen—James, b. Feb. 22.
Smith, Adam and Catherine Van Zandt—Elizebeth, b. Feb. 20.
June 2. Merrill, Banj. and Jane Wilson—Peter Quick, b. Mar. 17.
Sutphen, Peter and Elsha Christopher—Daniel, b. Mar. 26.

Fine, John V. and Cornellia Stryker—Mary Ann Van Veer, b. Apr. 25.
Voorhees, Joseph and Dinah Van Doren—Isaac, b. Mar. 4.
July 7. Wychoff, John and Mariah Voorhees—Isaac Newton, b. Mar. 29.
Cornell, Joseph and Mariah Van Nuys—James Van Nuys, b. Apr. 19.
14. Waters, John and Ann Baker—Ann Maria Baker, b. Apr. 4.
Aug. 7. Cornell, Albert and Auly Van Asdalem—Roeliff V. Asdalem, b. Sept. 2, 1821.
Sept. 1. Van Zandt, Winant and Rachel Smith—Mariah Ann, b. July 5.
8. Davis, William and Gertrude Schenk—Adline Sutphen, b. May 25.
Denison, John and Mary Finley—Harriet Finley.
22. Wychoff, John V. D., and Ann Walker—Catherine Maria, b. July 9.
Oct. 6. Gulick, Daniel and Aulida Van Asdlem—Catherine Maria, b. July 20.
27. Staats, Peter and Catherine Voorhees—James Voorhees, b. Aug. 29.
Nov. 3. Hoagland, Lucas V. and Sarah S. Nevius—John Nevius, b. Sept. 22.
17. Covenhoven, Cornelius and Ann Schenk—Cornellia Rappelyea, b. Sept. 29.
24. Wychoff, John W. and Elizebeth Autem—William, b. Aug. 3.
Van Nuys, ——— and Lucy Brokaw—Lawrence Van Der Veer, b. Aug. 3.
Dec. 1. Genoa [Gano], Jacob and Jimimy Hoagland—Elizebeth Hoagland, b. Sept. 6.
15. Stryker, Henry and Elizebeth Aultz—Peter, b. Oct. 10.

1823.

Jan. 12. Voorhees, Lucas C. and Mariah Cornell—Joseph Cornell, b. Oct. 5, 1822.
Feb. 10. Staats, Henry and Elizebeth Schenk—Elizebeth, b. Oct. 30, 1822.
24. Cornell, William and Lydia Stryker—Catherine Storthoff, b. Dec. 29, 1822.
Apr. 6. Voorhees, John and Magdalen Garretson—Henry, b. Feb. 21.
Van Doren, Isaac and Nelly Smock—Catherine Gulick, b. Feb. 23.
27. Van Zandt, Peter and Maggy Stryker—Cornellia, b. Feb. 6.
June 1. Van Nostrand, John and Sarah Van Asdalem—Jacob, b. Feb. 22.
15. Bennet, Joseph A. and Sarah Stryker—Ann Stryker, b. Feb. 14.
Wychoff, Samuel and Abigail Bainbridge—John Bainbridge, b. Apr. 25.

22. Staats, Cornellius and Magdalen Garretson—Peter Staats, b. May 19.
29. Stryker, John and Ann Brokaw—Jane Maria, b. May 12.

July —. Phillips, Nathaniel and Polly Bainbridge—Andrew, b. May 29.

Aug. 3. Broach, Cornellius and Lucy Garthart—John Christopher, b. June 24.
Schenck, Jacob and Ann Brokaw—Magdalen, b. May 19.
Van Cleef, John and Jane Ann Duryea—John Van Harlingen, b. May 2.
10. Fine, Jacob and Maria Stryker—Catherine Veghte, b. Mar. 20.
17. Munsford, Abraham and Osey Hoagland—Peter, b. June 26.

Sept. 14. Thomas, Samuel and Mariah Broach—Mary Ann, b. July 14.
21. Van Liew, Sela(?) and ——— —Jacob, b. July 28.
Bucknell, William and Catherine Couser—William, b. July 23.
28. Elemendorf, James and Elizebeth Freylinhuisien—Frederick Frelinghuisen, b. Aug. 10.
Voorhees, Joseph and Dinah Van Doren—Gertrude Quick, b. July 30.

Oct. 18. Van Cleef, Martin and Phœbe Hoagland—Richard, b. Aug. 30.
Van Cleef. Abraham and Mary Wortman—Peter Dumont, b. Sept. 24.
Stryker, Peter and Eliz. Christopher—Thomas Christopher, b. Sept. 26.
Stryker, Jeremiah and Sarah Sperder—Simon, b. Aug. 16.
Locke, Peter and Polly Van Tyne—Sarah, b. Sept. 11.

Nov. 2. Merrill, Benj. and Jane Wilson—Ann Margaret Wilson, b. Sept. 26.
Garretson, Stephen and Nelly Van Nuys—Martha, b. Aug. 2.
9. Barnhart, G—— and Nelly Lott—Ann Lott, b. Sept. 2.

Dec. 7. Conover, Nichlos and Rachel Aut—Cornellius, b. Oct. 10.

1824.

Jan. 4. Van Doren, ——— and Elizebeth Harris—Catherine Mariah, b. May 9, 1823.
18. Hoagland, John and Mariah Fisher—John Riche, b. Nov. 11, 1823.

Feb. 10. Prawl, John V. N. and Sarah Ann Ellertson—John Ellertson, b. Oct. 17, 1823.
24. Hoaglend, William and Catherine Smith—Peter Smith, b. Nov. 29, 1823.
Wullnidge(?), Lyman and Ann Du Bois Smith—Ann Elizebeth, b. Dec. 2, 1823.

Mar. 14. Van Pelt, Stephen and Elizebeth Vliet—Cornellius Wychoff, b. Oct. 22, 1823.

Wilson, William and Jane Bergen—James Bergen, b. Feb. 14.
Apr. 17. Disbrough, Daniel and Matilda Van Liew—Frederick Van Liew, b. Feb. 15.
Smith, William and Jane Ann Voorhees—John, b. Jan. 23.
May 23. Van Tyne, Abraham and Jamina Vliet—Catherine Wychoff, b. Oct. 5, 1823.
June 27. McKissock, William and Margaret Ditmars—Thomas Eugeune.
Van Cleef, Jacob and Elizebeth ——— —Gerret, b. Apr. 22.
Wilson, John and Hannah Wychoff—Lydia, b. Apr. 25.
July 4. Stryker, Henry and Elizebeth Aultz—Sarah Van Aultz, b. May 26.
Hoagland, Lucas V. and Sarah Nevius—Amelia, b. May 3.
25. Hultz, James and Mary Hoagland—Sarah, b. May 19.
Covenhoven, Cornellius and Ann Schenck—Getty Ann, b. May 24.
Aug. 22. Root, Milo and Mary French—William French, b. July 13.
Sept. 19. Collins, Devid and Rachel Munday—Cornelia Edgar, b. May 29.
Oct. 3. John Waters and Ann Brokaw—[Child's name not given].
17. Sching, Peter E., and Catherine Van Nest—Abraham, b. Aug. 21.
Eick, John and Mariah Wyckoff—John Van Cleff.
Cornell, Albert and Auly Van Asdalem—Mary Skillman, b. Feb. 22.
31. Stryker, Henry and Louisa Thompson—Ellen Mariah, b. Sept. 4.
Nov. 21. Fine, John and Cornelia Stryker—Elizebeth Archer, b. Oct. 11.
Dec. 12. Staats, Peter and Catherine Voorhees—Susan Middlesecth(?), b. Oct. 16.

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Jan. 8. Stryker, John and Caty Smith—Catherine Smith, b. Sept. 24, 1824.
Feb. 12. Stryker, Isaac and Gertrude Voorhees—Henry Van Der Veer, b. Sept. 24, 1824.
Davidson, John R. and Mary ——— —John, b. Sept. 3, 1824.
Mar. 5. Wychoff, John and Mariah Voorhees—Helen, b. Jan. 1.
26. Fine, Jacob and Mariah Stryker—Jacob, b. Jan. 23.
Connet, John and Margaret Buckalieu—Abigal Denton, b. Feb. 12, 1823; Jane, b. Oct. 4, 1824.
Schenck, Jacob and Ann Brokaw—Sofiah, b. Feb. 4.
May 29. Gulick, Daniel and Aulida Van Ausdalen—Peter, b. Feb. —.
Van Doren, Abraham and Dorcus Stryker—[Peter] Asdalen.
Van Cleef, John and Jane Ann Duryea—Isaac, b. Feb. 23.

June 19. Gulick, James and Leah V. Fleet—Amelia Van Fleet, b. Mar. 2.
July 3. Voorhees, Joseph and Dinah Van Dine—Benjamin, b. June 27.
31. Van Doren, Peter and Elizabeth Harris—John, b. Mar. 21.
Sept. 11. Van Doren, William and Mariah Wyckoff—Cornellius Wyckoff, b. Apr. 19.
Nevius, Cornellius and Mariah Van Doren—Matilda, b. Mar. 30.
Oct. 2. Wyckoff, John W. and Elizabeth Autem—Elsher Ann, b. June 12.
Croac (?), Rulyh and Elizebeth Van Cleef—Lawrence Van Cleef, b. June 19.
Van Liew, Dennis and Sarah Auten—Elizabeth, b. July 1.
16. Voorhees, Abraham and Mariah DeHart—Jaquish, b. Aug. 21.
23. Elemendorf, James and Elizabeth Frelinghuisen—Frederick Frelinghuisen, b. July 31.

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Sadar, Lawrence and Catherine Barnar, Sept. 10, 1869 (Doolittle).
Sadler, George R. and Harriet Baker, Feb. 19, 1867 (Meyers).
Salter, Henry and Margaret Martin, Jan. 1, 1866 (Andrews).
Salter, Jacob and Margaret V. A. Smith, Apr. 30, 1825 (Ludlow).
Salters, Henry (col'd) and Mary Salters (col'd), Aug. 19, 1869 (Rowland).
Sammis, Moses and Jemima Manly, Mar. 16, 1870 (Doolittle).
Samuel ——— and Jane ———, April 1, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Samuel ——— and Dinah Staats, Dec. 26, 1835 (Messler).
Sanborn, George W. and Mary B. DeWitt, Oct. 15, 1873 (Messler).
Sanderson, Warren and Ann Brokaw, Dec. 1, 1864 (Searles).
Sanders, Amadee M. and Elizabeth E. Woodward, Jan. 7, 1857 (Rankin).
Sanders, Austin J. and Elizabeth Rush, Mar. 12, 1862 (Thompson).
Sanders, Beniah and Harriet Norris, Nov. 27, 1823 (Brownlee).
Sanders, Daniel and Mary Young, May 1, 1811 (Lewis).
Sanders, Ezra and Lydia Reed, February 12, 1824 (Brownlee).
Sanders, Frances and Margaret Whitlock, Nov. 3, 1845 (Gardner).
Sanders, John and Jane Grogan, March 7, 1858 (Cornell).
Sanders, Lewis and Barbara Rush, Aug. 5, 1824 (Brownlee).
Sanders, Lewis B. and Fanny M. Fritts, July 6, 1873 (LeFevre).
Sanders, William and Nancy Brees, Nov. 25, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Sanders, William P. and Catharine A. Quick, Jan. 20, 1838 (English).
Sandoes, William T. and Julia J. Tunison, Mar. 27, 1861 (Campfield).

Sanford, James M. and Rachel M. Gundre, Feb. 10, 1870 (Doolittle).
Sargeant, Edmund L. and Mariah Voorhees, Oct. 21, 1834 (Messler).
Sarles, George Washington and Elizabeth Mirax, Mar. 27, 1837 (Cole).
Saums, Albert and Lucretia Bishop, Feb. 11, 1841 (Ludlow).
Saums, Cornelius V. and Susan Ann Regar, Sept. 29, 1864 (Pitcher).
Saums, Henry H. and Mary Ann Shepperd, June 21, 1844 (Ludlow).
Saums, Henry J. and Catharine Emmons, Dec. 25, 1860 (Ludlow).
Saums, Hiram and Mariah Auten, May 16, 1833 (Zabriskie).
Saums, Isaac W. and Gertrude M. Packer, Jan. 28, 1860 (Ludlow).
Saums, James Q. and Elizabeth Doty, Sept. 12, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Saums, John A. and Jane Caroline Case, Sept. 17, 1853 (Messler).
Saums, John H. and Aletta Amerman, Jan. 17, 1828 (Ludlow).
Saums, John H. and Agnes Durling, Nov. 14, 1853 (Ludlow).
Saums, John R. and Mary B. Whitenack, Oct. 2, 1873 (Pitcher).
Saums, Minna V. and Alletta Ann Packer, Mar. 21, 1829 (Ludlow).
Saums, Ralph Voorhees and Sarah Henrietta Jones, June 22, 1870 (Rowland).
Saums, Theodore and Margaretta Vlerbone, Aug. —, 1870 (McWilliam).
Saunders, Daniel and Sarah Lewis, Aug. 6, 1823 (Watson).
Saunders, Stephen and Eliza Savige, Nov. 17, 1812 (Finley).
Saurger, Horatio and Sophia Harrison, Oct. 1, 1834 (Messler).
Savige, Rueben and Jane Clauson, Aug. 14, 1810 (Finley).
Savidge, William and Margaret Smith, Feb. 19, 1824 (Brownlee).
Sawey, James and Mariah Waldron, Sept. 29, 1823 (Ludlow).
Sayre, James H. and Hannah Williams, Sept. 27, 1830 (Blauvelt).
Sayre, William Y. and Hannah W. Johnson, Mar. 19, 1848 (Harris).
Sayward, John H. and Sarah Jane Mower, Aug. 24, 1851 (Rodgers).
Scamp, David and Phebe Ann Todd, Feb. 25, 1841 (Schenck).
Scanlin, Benjamin F. and Mary A. Symonds, Dec. 23, 1874 (Dutcher).
Schamp, George and Catharine Ann Schenck, Feb. 25, 1838 (Zabriskie).
Schamp, John G. and Evelina Layton, Dec. 5, 1835 (Fisher).
Schamp, Peter D. and Mary Ann Kelley, Jan. 18, 1840 (Ludlow).
Scheller, Casper and Anna Smith, Jan. 6, 1855 (Messler).
Schenck, Aaron and Leah Staats, Sept. 20, 1828 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Aaron and Eve Werts, Dec. 18, 1834 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Abraham and Margaret Ann Derven, Feb. 14, 1856 (Gardiner).
Schenck, Abraham C. and Ann W. Hall, Sept. 24, 1833 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Abraham C. and Hannah S. Moon, Dec. 31, 1851 (Craven).
Schenck, Abram V. and Rebecca Orr, Aug. 18, 1860 (Campfield).
Schenck, Adam (col'd) and Phebe Thompson (col'd), Nov. 7, 1868 (Mesick).
Schenck, Alexander and Jane Schenck, July 11, 1847 (Campbell).
Schenck, Anthony and Mary Jane Dickens, Feb. 11, 1852 (Cammann).
Schenck, Anthony and Elizabeth Brokaw, Jan. 2, 1855 (Messler).
Schenck, Daniel Disborough and Sarah Elizabeth Veghte, Oct. 20, 1875 (Messler).

Schenck, David and Nancy Van Court, Sept. 28, 1808 (Vredenburgh).
Schenck, Dennis V. L. and Mary E. Corle, Jan. 19, 1859 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Elias and Adaline Harris, Sept. 16, 1866 (Mesick).
Schenck, Dr. Ferdinand and Lea Voorhees, Dec. 19, 1816 (Labagh).
Schenck, Garret and Sarah Ann Brown, Oct. 16, 1838 (Sears).
Schenck, Garret and Catharine M. Quick, Sept. 23, 1851 (Gardiner).
Schenck, George and Louisa Coe Vander Voort, Mar. 13, 1872 (Blauvelt).
Schenck, George V. N. and Alletta Ann Stevens, Oct. 5, 1837 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Gordon J. and Catherine W. Garretson, Feb. 12, 1857 (Cornell).
Schenck, Harry and Lucy Van Liew, May 24, 1823 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Henry and Rachel Harriot, Nov. 9, 1815 (Boggs).
Schenck, Henry (col'd) and Anna Colbert (col'd), June 5, 1874 (Oliver).
Schenck, Henry H. and Elizabeth Tidd Williamson, Mar. 25, 1866 (Mesick).
Schenck, Jack and Sally Gifford, Jan. 29, 1809 (Bent).
Schenck, James (col'd) and Mary Ellen Field, Sept. 15, 1869 (Mesick).
Schenck, James and Diana Swaine, Jan. 2, 1873 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Jacob and Ann Brokaw, Aug. 29, 1822 (Zabriskie).
Schenck, Jacob and Jane Hagaman, Jan. 31, 1824 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Jacob E. and Martha S. Van Liew, Jan. 8, 1861 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Jacob R. and Anna M. Duryee, Feb. 16, 1851 (Romeyn).
Schenck, Jacob Wyckoff and Martha Ann Clerry, Sept. 11, 1830 (Ludlow).
Schenck, John and Elizabeth Vroom, Nov. 8, 1800 (Vredenburgh).
Schenck, John and Julia Ann McKinstry, Aug. 26, 1840 (Messler).
Schenck, John and Rebecca Skillman, Sept. 8, 1860 (Campfield).
Schenck, John A. and Jane Ten Eyck, May 5, 1832 (Wilson).
Schenck, John G. and Sarah Huff, Jan. 5, 1853 (Ludlow).
Schenck, John H. and Caroline Kipp, Sept. 12, 1822 (Ludlow).
Schenck, John H. (col'd) and Judith Ann Rodgers, Apr. 23, 1874 (Mesick).
Schenck, John J. and Sarah Van Neste, Mar. 22, 1815 (Vredenburgh).
Schenck, Josiah, Jr., and Sarah Van Middleswort, May 26, 1821 (Vredenburgh).
Schenck, Lewis and Effie Brokaw, Dec. 25, 1861 (Rodgers).
Schenck, Moses and Mary J. Wyckoff, March 30, 1863 (Ludlow).
Schenck, Peter C. and Rebecca Harris, August 20, 1833 (Wilson).
Schenck, Robert H. and Eliza Jane Brokaw, July 23, 1854 (Craven).
Schenck, Samuel and Ellen J. Craig, June 20, 1875 (Roberts).
Schenck, Sefiah and Catharine Stryker, Oct. 28, 1845 (Zabriskie).
Schenck, Simon and Julia Anna Field, Oct. 16, 1823 (Boggs).
Schenck, Thomas and Hannah Smith, Dec. 25, 1825 (Ludlow).
Schenck, William and Catharine B. Hall, July 4, 1837 (Ludlow).
Schenck, William and Mary Winsor, May 20, 1846 (Rodgers).
Schenck, William F. and Sally Gano, Oct. 9, 1847 (Campbell).

Schick, Frederick and Louisa Bender, May 13, 1858 (Mesick).
Schickter, Heuman and Mary Ann Whyte, April 4, 1843 (Bond).
Schmidt, Francis and Maria Blum, Sept. 19, 1858 (Neef).
Schmidt, Henry and Margaret Ann Baker, Feb. 22, 1855 (Rankin).
Schmidt, John and Jemina Smith, June 3, 1856 (Snyder).
Schneider, Adam and Lydia Gaddis, Sept. 13, 1853 (Messler).
Schnider, Lewis A. and Mary Burke, July 5, 1862 (Daniels).
Schnider, Valentine and Catherine Schmidt, Apr. 3, 1870 (LeFevre).
Schomp, David G. and Mary Winser, July 12, 1860 (Messler).
Schomp, Dennis and Carrie Ganno, Sept. 12, 1872 (Pool).
Schomp, George and Elizabeth Anderson, Dec. 20, 1797 (Studdiford).
Schomp, George C. and Catharine Dolliver, Nov. 18, 1858 (Messler).
Schomp, John and Mary Morehead, Feb. 3, 1801 (Studdiford).
Schomp, John G. and Elizabeth Van Liew, Nov. 14, 1848 (English).
Schomp, Peter G. and Lucretia Ann Griggs, Dec. 28, 1864 (Ludlow).
Schomp, Theodore and Hannah M. Van Fleet, Sept. 16, 1875 (Hart).
Schomp, Winfield and Arabel Vanderveer, Feb. 2, 1871 (Pitcher).
Schultz, Jacob Livingston and Margaretta Voorhees, Jan. 20, 1841 (Messler).
Schultz, James T. and Lizzie Koehler, Mar. 14, 1872 (Dutcher).
Schuyler, Isaac S. and Catharine Bumheats, Mar. 14, 1853 (Gardiner).
Schwartze, William and Rosina Schmidt, Oct. 30, 1853 (Craven).
Scoby, Timothy and Chloe Gnep, Nov. 14, 1810 (Bent).
Scoffield, Joseph and Sarah Perrine, Jan. 15, 1845 (English).
Scoffield, Joseph E. and Emma Ann Hutchinson, Jan. 10, 1850 (Rodgers).
Scofield, Walter P. and Minnie McDaniels, June 22, 1874 (Scofield).
Scott, George W. and Minerva S. Paiste, Nov. 16, 1839 (Messler).
Scott, Jacob and Elizabeth Cox, Oct. 5, 1828 (Fisher).
Scott, Job Ashley and Wilmina Carkhuff, June 18, 1874 (Pitcher).
Scott, Samuel W. and Ann Voorhees, Sept. 19, 1816 (Fonda).
Scudder, Jeremiah (col'd) and Mary Ellen Field, Sept. 9, 1869 (Mesick).
Scudder, John and Anna Sutphen, Nov. 25, 1868 (Carter).
Scudder, Peter and Laura Henry, Mar. 25, 1875 (Blauvelt).
Scudder, Samuel and Sarah M. Jackson, Mar. 3, 1860 (Campfield).
Scudder, Thomas and Rebecca Auten, Dec. 8, 1811 (Riggs).
Scudder, Titus and Caroline Chamberlain, Oct. 15, 1846 (Rodgers).
Scudder, Titus and Sarah Ann Boice, Sept. 22, 1870 (Rodgers).
Scully, Michael W. and Mary F. Robbins, Nov. 3, 1864 (Walton).
Scureman, Jonathan and Kesiah Seller, Oct. 31, 1837 (Cox).
Seabring, David and Jane Doty, January 7, 1858 (Mesick).
Sead, Levi and Parmelia Stout, Jan. 4, 1819 (Banghart).
Seal, Philip and Mary Angleman, Dec. 19, 1823 (Fisher).
Seaman, Benjamin M. and Jane M. Leason, Sept. 1, 1843 (Cox).
Seaman, Thomas L. and Hannah Townley, May 14, 1836 (Cox).
Sears, William and Clara Perrine, Oct. 2, 1849 (Messler).
Sebring, Abraham and Margaret M. Fulkerson, Dec. 24, 1846 (Rodgers).
Sebring, Abraham H. and Eliza Runyon, Aug. 31, 1841 (Chambers).

Sebring, Cornelius and Hester Waldron, July 3, 1819 (Boggs).
Sebring, David H. and Malissa E. Hall, Mar. 2, 1871 (Messler).
Sebring, Harrison and Rachel Smock, Aug. 24, 1822 (Boggs).
Sebring, Isaac and Mariah Van Nuyse, Sept. 10, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Sebring, James and Eliza Ann Doty, Oct. 20, 1849 (English).
Sebring, John and Elizabeth Craig, May 27, 1807 (Vredenburgh).
Sebring, John H. and Henrietta C. Martin, Dec. 9, 1852 (Rodgers).
Sebring, John W. and Mary Elizabeth Deming, Aug. 16, 1865 (Rodgers).
Sebring, Theodore F. and Susan Rockafellow, Jan. 1, 1862 (Rodgers).
Sebring, William and Matilda Hutching, Dec. 2, 1820 (Boggs).
Sebring, William and Catharine Brokaw, June 13, 1842 (Rodgers).
Sebring, Williamson and Sarah C. Conklin, Sept. 12, 1856 (Rodgers).
See, Peter E. and Nancy Smalley, Mar. 16, 1845 (Cox).
Seidell, Jacob and Mary Ann Voorhees, July 16, 1828 (Boggs).
Sellerk, Sandy and Sarah Layton, Jan. 10, 1827 (Fisher).
Serat, Charles I. and Sarah W. Adams, Oct. 27, 1832 (Rodgers).
Sergeant, Albert and Sarah Eliza Gaston, May 3, 1831 (Rodgers).
Sergeant, Daniel and Anne Case, May 22, 1813 (Hardenbergh).
Serven, Isaac A. and Sophia Goodheart, June 30, 1844 (Harris).
Service, Philip and Mary R. Stout, Nov. 21, 1806 (Stout).
Service, Samuel and Ann Dorens, May 6, 1817 (Galpin).
Servis, Henry R. V. and Phillis ———, Oct. 11, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Servis, Isaac B. and Sarah Ann Quick, Nov. 12, 1851 (Messler).
Servis, Joshua and Susan Conover, Nov. 17, 1869 (Gardner).
Servis, Peter and Ann Stryker, April 3, 1828 (Labagh).
Shad, John and Mary Kline, Jan. 19, 1811 (Studdiford).
Shafer, George Wilhelm and Margaret Humann, Aug. 25, 1861 (Neef).
Shann, Charles and Susan Cox, February 11, 1832 (Ludlow).
Shann, John and Caroline Brokaw, July 26, 1846 (Rodgers).
Shann, Levi and Rocelia Root, Jan. 11, 1858 (Lockwood).
Sharp, Ferman (col'd) and Eliza Burley, Nov. 11, 1873 (Clarke).
Sharp, Jacob F. and Aletta Dunn, Nov. 14, 1849 (Messler).
Sharp, Jacob R. and Susan Mumford (col'd), Oct. 16, 1873 (Mesick).
Sharp, John and Rachel Smith, July 13, 1795 (Studdiford).
Sharp, Joshua and Susanna Greenwood, Nov. 22, 1870 (Rowland).
Sharp, Peter and Violet Craig, Nov. 4, 1843 (Blauvelt).
Sharp, William B. and Gertrude B. Stout, Mar. 16, 1871 (LeFevre).
Sharpe, Morris and Dorthy Low, Dec. 4, 1819 (Galpin).
Shaver, Henry and Louisa Hill, Apr. 20, 1848 (Cox).
Shaw, Aaron and Ellen Barcalow, Sept. 22, 1824 (Zabriskie).
Shan, Joshua and Hannah Riggs, June 3, 1820 (Brownlee).
Sheets, William and Mary Diltz, Dec. 18, 1864 (Voorhees).
Sheick, Antone and Bridget Numan, Feb. 20, 1855 (English).
Sheldon, David and Mary Coddington, Oct. 31, 1849 (Palmer).
Shellman, Isaac and Pamelia Stryker, Jan. 15, 1825 (Ludlow).
Sheppan, T. J. and Rhoda H. Stout, Apr. 11, 1847 (Black).
Sheppard, Henry and Ellen Van Fleet, June 14, 1851 (Ludlow).
Sheppard, William and Jane V. Schenck, Dec. 26, 1838 (Ludlow).

Sherman, Samuel and Elizabeth Tumbull, Sept. 5, 1830 (Fisher).
Sherwin, George E. and S. Annie Van Dorn, Nov. 27, 1872 (Mesick).
Sherwood, M. B. and Sarah C. Stout, July 16, 1874 (Gardner).
Sherwood, William and Margaretta Sergeant, June 18, 1833 (Messler).
Shickter, Harman and Mary Ann Whyte, Apr. 4, 1843 (Bond).
Shipman, David and Ann Putney, Nov. 9, 1823 (Watson).
Shipps, George W. and Susan Struck, Aug. 24, 1867 (Crane).
Shoemaker, Anthony and Appelone Reger, Jan. 19, 1855 (Messler).
Shoemaker, Benjamin T. and Ellen Felmley, Mar. 4, 1863 (Mesick).
Short, Patrick and Margaret Egan, Feb. 19, 1851 (Rodgers).
Shotwell, Eli P. and Pamelia Boice, Oct. 22, 1840 (Bond).
Shurt, David and Phebe Voorhees, Dec. 19, 1838 (Ludlow).
Shurts, Garret S. and M. L. Reed, October 7, 1863 (Pitcher).
Shurts, Jacob and Maria Parsell, Dec. 14, 1842 (Rodgers).
Shurts, John and Rebecca Van Dyke, Feb. 11, 1852 (Dater).
Shurts, P. B. and A. M. Hall, Dec. 14, 1863 (Pitcher).
Shutes, Simon P. and Mary Van Derveer, Feb. 26, 1857 (Rodgers).
Shwangbach, ——— and Frederica Shucchait, Apr. 19, 1860 (Neef).
Silcock, Joseph S. and Elizabeth Munshine, Mar. 9, 1815 (Fonde).
Sillcocks, Gabriel and Mary Kelly, June 5, 1814 (Hardenbergh).
Sillcocks, Isaac and Pluseny Runyon, July 24, 1834 (Zabriskie).
Silvers, Edward and Ruhanna G. Allen, Dec. 17, 1867 (Crane).
Silvester, Gilbert and Eliza M. Van Nostrand, Aug. 4, 1858 (Van Doren).
Silzer, Theodore and Christine Zimmerman, April 28, 1861 (Neef).
Simmins, Frederick and Rhoda Giddis, Apr. 7, 1805 (Shelly).
Simmons, Edmund H. and Sarah Cray, Mar. 30, 1861 (Romeyn).
Simms, George A. and Deborah Ann Bergen, Sept. 6, 1845 (Ludlow).
Simonson, Garret and Martha Dunham, Jan. 10, 1846 (Blauvelt).
Simonson, John H. and Jennie A. Garretson, Jan. 8, 1863 (Mesick).
Simpson, Benjamin and Mary Garretson, Jan. 30, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Simpson, Isaac L. and Maria Breese, Mar. 10, 1864 (Rankin).
Simpson, John and Peggy Kline, Jan. 11, 1798 (Finley).
Simpson, John and Mary Cross, Mar. 18, 1809 (Finley).
Simpson, John and Rosanna Soper, Aug. 30, 1828 (Boggs).
Sinquist, John A. and Julia L. Young, Sept. 14, 1875 (Mesick). [Probably this is Linqvist].
Skellinger, Elias H. and Maggie S. Hughey, Mar. 10, 1870 (Doolittle).
Skillman, ———and Cornelia Quick, Dec. 31, 1795 (Studdiford).
Skillman, Abraham and Catharine Voorhees, May 25, 1791 (Harlingen).
Skillman, Abraham V. A. and Doretha L. Schenck, Mar. 14, 1838 (Doolittle).
Skillman, Abram M. and Susan Bergen, Oct. 1, 1856 (Gardner).
Skillman, George A. and Ann B. Lattourette, June 4, 1840 (Ludlow).
Skillman, Hiram and Catharine Huff, Jan. 25, 1845 (Gardner).
Skillman, Ira and Abigal Hulfish, Mar. 4, 1835 (Rice).
Skillman, Isaac and Ann Johnson, May 4, 1800 (Studdiford).
Skillman, Isaac and Deborah Voorhees, Jan. 24, 1835 (Rice).

Skillman, Jacob and Jane Covenhoven, Feb. 25, 1797 (Snowden).
Skillman, Jacob and Jane Davis, April 18, 1861 (Ludlow).
Skillman, James and Eliza Wood, Mar. 4, 1841 (Ludlow).
Skillman, James I. and Ann Stryker, Nov. 16, 1823 (Labagh).
Skillman, Jeremiah W. and Mary Andrews, Nov. 11, 1840 (Talmage).
Skillman, John R. and Ellen Huff, Apr. 16, 1842 (Chambers).
Skillman, Joseph and Alice Van Aartsdalen, Nov. 25, 1797 (Harlingen).
Skillman, Joseph and Mariah Stryker, Nov. 30, 1816 (Labagh).
Skillman, Joseph Palma and Mary Elizabeth Spaddle, May 14, 1856 (Skillman).
Skillman, Martin N. and Matilda Kershow, Apr. 26, 1827 (Labagh).
Skillman, Peter and Sarah Gano, Nov. 15, 1854 (Ludlow).
Skillman, Samuel and Rebecca Robinson, Jan. 29, 1800 (Snowden).
Skillman, Stephen S. and Harriet Whitlock, Dec. 24, 1857 (Gardner).
Skillman, Thomas and Ann Skillman, Dec. 8, 1816 (Labagh).
Skillman, Thomas and Emily Schomp, Dec. 19, 1866 (Gardner).
Skillman, William and Laurie C. Hardie, Nov. 30, 1870 (Voorhees).
Skinner, Abraham and Mary Thomas, Oct. —, 1826 (Blauvelt).
Skinner, George and Margaret V. N. Field, Mar. 30, 1870 (Rodgers).
Skinner, Jeremiah and Catharine Todd, July 4, 1842 (Schenck).
Slack, Andrew L. and Kate C. Harris, Nov. 14, 1872 (Messler).
Slack, Elnathan and Betsey Sutton, Jan. 11, 1823 (Galpin).
Slaght, Cornelius and Mary Hall, Dec. 23, 1822 (Ludlow).
Sloan, Andrew A. G. and Mary Elizabeth Van Dervort, Jan. 25, 1866 (Blauvelt).
Sloan, John and Catharine Gaddis, Oct. 1, 1839 (Campbell).
Sloan, Matthias and Margaret Suydam, Dec. 18, 1841 (Schenck).
Sloan, Peter and Tammy Van Derbeek, Dec. 23, 1798 (Snowden).
Sloan, Samuel and Eliza Boylan, Oct. 23, 1811 (Bent).
Sloat, Joseph J. and Susan E. Stevenson, Feb. 19, 1874 (LeFevre).
Slocum, Joshua G. and Mary Smith, Sept. 8, 1855 (Mathis).
Slover, Peter and Ellen Slover, Feb. 7, 1819 (Terhune).
Smack, Cornelius and Mary Williams, Feb. 8, 1797 (Harlingen).
Smalley, Abraham and Mary Jane Brokaw, Apr. 28, 1853 (Rodgers).
Smalley, Alfred I. and Myra D. Outcalt, Sept. 27, 1876 (Baldwin).
Smalley, Ambrose and Louisa Sebring, Mar. 13, 1861 (Rodgers).
Smalley, Charles S. and Margaret Stelle, Nov. 1, 1837 (Cox).
Smalley, David and Sophia Alexander, March 3, 1860 (Rodgers).
Smalley, David, Sen., and Hannah Bush, April 22, 1833 (Cox).
Smalley, Enos B. and Sarah J. Stryker, Jan. 12, 1848 (Gardiner).
Smalley, George and Frances Wadsworth, Mar. 19, 1867 (Mesick).
Smalley, Henry D. and Ellenor F. Conway, Mar. 30, 1861 (Campfield).
Smalley, Isaac J. and Jane Pope, Apr. 17, 1846 (Utter).
Smalley, Jacob and Mariah Bullman, Jan. 9, 1819 (Brownley).
Smalley, Jacob and Elizabeth Lollar, Sept. 19, 1835 (Cox).
Smalley, John and Mary Smock, Mar. 4, 1807 (Vredenburgh).
Smalley, John and Elizabeth Winsor, Jan. 16, 1850 (Rodgers).
Smalley, John S. and Clara M. Curry, Mar. 18, 1868 (Messler).

Smalley, John S. and Eliza Ann Mundy, Aug. 9, 1838 (Rodgers).
Smalley, Joseph and Phebe Stites, July 19, 1821 (Watson).
Smalley, Nathan and Anna Shipman, Mar. 18, 1822 (Watson).
Smalley, Nehemiah V. and Elizabeth Pennington, Oct. 20, 1846 (Cox).
Smalley, Silas and Mary Terrell, April 18, 1840 (English).
Smalley, William and Phebe J. Levine, Nov. 19, 1845 (English).
Smalley, William S. and Kate Brokaw, June 8, 1861 (Doolittle).
Smellgar, E. K. and Phebe C. Miller, October 22, 1863 (Morse).
Smith, ——— and Jane DeHart, Oct. 13, 1822 (Fisher).
Smith, Abner R. and Margaret Van Arsdale, May 7, 1857 (Brush).
Smith, Abraham and Abbey Mitchell, Sept. 14, 1815 (Zabriskie).
Smith, Abraham and Ann Maria Smith, Oct. 1, 1857 (Rodgers).
Smith, Adain and Hannah Harris, Dec. 22, 1814 (Vredenburgh).
Smith, Alexander and Elizabeth French, Sept. 26, 1868 (Ludlow).
Smith, Alex. B. R. and Arietta F. Packer, Aug. 13, 1876 (Pool).
Smith, A. W. and Sarah A. Hill, June 8, 1858 (Cammann).
Smith, Benjamin and Jane Sutphin, March 8, 1798 (Harlingen).
Smith, Benjamin and Ann Vosler, Nov. 12, 1825 (Fisher).
Smith, Benjamin and Helena Garretson, Sept. 17, 1851 (Van Doren).
Smith, Benjamin, Jr., and Ann Brokaw, Feb. 9, 1815 (Vredenburgh).
Smith, Benjamin H. and Lucy Van Nuys, Oct. 21, 1835 (Whitehead).
Smith, Benjamin I. and Lucy Elbertson, Jan. 22, 1839 (Sears).
Smith, Bergen B. and Rachel Van Zant, Oct. 4, 1838 (Zabriskie).
Smith, Charles and Mary Whale, Dec. 24, 1840 (Birch).
Smith, Charles and Elizabeth Johnson, Sept. 22, 1868 (Ludlow).
Smith, Cornelius and Sarah Pennington, Mar. 16, 1823 (Watson).
Smith, Cornelius and Mercy Coddington, Mar. 11, 1845 (Cox).
Smith, Elihu M. and Eliza B. Covert, Oct. 5, 1837 (Ludlow).
Smith, Elijah and Mary Compton, Sept. 23, 1823 (Watson).
Smith, Elijah K. and Harriet C. Squier, June 14, 1852 (Messler).
Smith, Garret P. and Ida E. Brown, Nov. 1, 1876 (Clark).
Smith, George and Mary Webster, Jan. 26, 1833 (Lowrey).
Smith, George and Elizabeth Hall, Oct. 27, 1866 (Ludlow).
Smith, George W. and Rachel Ann Smith, June 12, 1834 (Messler).
Smith, Henry H. and Mary Plunkel, Sept. 19, 1868(Messler).
Smith, Hulet and Elizabeth C. Brown, May 27, 1857 (Rodgers).
Smith, Isaac and Ann Smith, Aug. 15, 1805 (Vredenburgh).
Smith, Isaac and Ann Ten Eyck, Mar. 21, 1811 (Studdiford).
Smith, Isaac N. and Lydia Huffman, Nov. 18, 1865 (Blauvelt).
Smith, Isaiah and Elizabeth Allen, Dec. 5, 1862 (Thompson).
Smith, Israel and Sarah Jane Johnson, July 3, 1856 (Carrell).
Smith, Jacob and Catharine Van Voorhees, Oct. 9, 1808 (Studdiford).
Smith, Jacob and Mariah Van Nostrand, Dec. 20, 1821 (Zabriskie).
Smith, Jacob and Phebe Burt, Aug. 20, 1825 (Brownlee).
Smith, Jacob F. and Sarah Wyckoff, Nov. 3, 1836 (Zabriskie).
Smith, Jacob V. D. and Esther D. Field, Oct. 26, 1865 (Rodgers).
Smith, Jacob V. N. and Sarah Elizabeth Van Nostrand, Jan. 29, 1863 (Cole).
Smith, James and Ellen Mundy, June 14, 1848 (Rodgers).

Smith, James and Lydia Philhower, Dec. 31, 1856 (Craig).
Smith, James and Barbara Irving, July 26, 1877 (Pool).
Smith, James D. and Harriet E. Staats, Dec. 24, 1868 (Rodgers).
Smith, James T. and Hattie D. Smith, Sept. 22, 1874 (Mesick).
Smith, James V. and Myra Cole, Sept. 2, 1868 (Doolittle).
Smith, Jared and Elizabeth Covenhoven, Oct. 15, 1806 (Stout).
Smith, J. Rush and Amanda Drake, Jan. 20, 1867 (Thompson).
Smith, John and Mary Brokaw, Aug. 24, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Smith, John and Sarah Margaret Vandervoort, Dec. 10, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Smith, John and Sarah Auten, Oct. 28, 1830 (Zabriskie).
Smith, John and Ann Suydam, Oct. 27, 1831 (Zabriskie).
Smith, John and Sarah Ann Van Arsdalen, Oct. 23, 1839 (Messler).
Smith, John and Magdalen Stryker, Dec. 17, 1840 (Zabriskie).
Smith, John and Sophia Broach, July 1, 1846 (Zabriskie).
Smith, John and Mariah Burgen, Sept. 15, 1849 (Campbell).
Smith, John and Elizabeth Van Zandt, Aug. 3, 1858 (Romeyn).
Smith, John A. and Martha Maddis, July 3, 1847 (Messler).
Smith, John Dayton and Deina C. Young, Jan. 15, 1871 (Thompson).
Smith, John H. and Margaret Gulick, Jan. 20, 1863 (Messler).
Smith, John I. and Elizabeth Van Zandt, Oct. 8, 1840 (Zabriskie).
Smith, John V. and Mary Huff, Sept. 27, 1853 (Gardiner).
Smith, Jonathan and Catharine Cooper, July 4, 1815 (Vredenburgh).
Smith, Joseph and Catharine Whalon, Oct. 19, 1816 (Hardenbergh).
Smith, Joseph B. and Mary E. Voorhees, Sept. 11, 1862 (Doolittle).
Smith, Joseph H. and Fannie Elizabeth Cole, Dec. 10, 1862 (Magie).
Smith, Josiah S. and Lydia Voorhees, Feb. 9, 1859 (Van Doren).
Smith, Lemuel and Anna Squier, Feb. 9, 1858 (Messler).
Smith, Peter and Rebecca Flagg, Dec. 21, 1805 (Vredenburgh).
Smith, Peter and Catharine Stryker, Nov. 15, 1812 (Stout).
Smith, Peter and Ann Smock, Oct. 22, 1835 (Messler).
Smith, Peter and Harriet Lawler, Dec. 4, 1861 (Clark).
Smith, Peter I. and Magdalene Garretson, Jan. 11, 1837 (Zabriskie).
Smith, Peter J. C. and Elizabeth Williamson, June 24, 1847 (Gardiner).
Smith, Peter S. and Mary Ellis Whitenack, Jan. 8, 1846 (Chambers).
Smith, Richmond and Catharine Jackson, Feb. 18, 1869 (Carmichael).
Smith, Robert S. (Dr.). and Nancy Van Dyke, Aug. 7, 1821 (Labagh).
Smith, Samuel and Nancy Roberts, Jan. 14, 1835 (Messler).
Smith, Spencer F. and Sarah Jane Van Middlesworth, Apr. —, 1865 (Le Fevre).
Smith, Thomas and Ann Hogg, Oct. 30, 1819 (Boggs).
Smith, Thomas and Mary Polhemus, Nov. 3, 1835 (Messler).
Smith, Thomas Burt and Catharine Teeter, Nov. 5, 1863 (Romaine).
Smith, Wallace and Martha A. Mitchell, Dec. 1, 1849 (Campbell).
Smith, Wellington H. and Maggie C. Wooden, Sept. 28, 1870 (Rowland).
Smith, William and Elizabeth Whallon, June 18, 1808 (Hardenbergh).
Smith, William and Harriet Coddington, Oct. 15, 1829 (Cox).
Smith, William and Pamelia Sebring, May 9, 1846 (Rodgers).
Smith, William and Aletta Jane Van Arsdale, Oct. 21, 1846 (Messler).

Smith, William and Hannah Maria Van Doren, Oct. 25, 1849 (Campbell).
Smith, William D. and Jane Dumont, Oct. 8, 1856 (Doolittle).
Smith, William H. and Rachel G. Hagerman, Nov. 29, 1859 (Campfield).
Smith, William H. and Ann E. Richards, Feb. 8, 1871 (McWilliam).
Smith, William, M. D., and Allettee M. Van Arsdale, Sept. 21, 1856 (Messler).
Smith, William P. and Margaret Annin, Dec. 17, 1845 (Zabriskie).
Smith, William S. and Sarah C. Griggs, Jan. 1, 1868 (Messler).
Smith, William Z. and Eliza Ann Van Nest, Oct. 9, 1834 (Fisher).
Smith, Zachariah and Rachel Flomerfelt, May 30, 1867 (Thompson).
Smock, Abraham and Jane Van Camp, Apr. 10, 1796 (Studdiford).
Smock, Garret and Mary Ann Van Deventer, Jan. 15, 1834 (Rodgers)
Smock, Henry and Susan Harris, Oct. 24, 1822 (Boggs).
Smock, John and Jane Mundy, May 23, 1824 (Zabriskie).
Smock, Lewis and Susan Johnson, May 29, 1841 (Rodgers).
Smock, Luther C. and Susan Ann Durlan, Feb. 4, 1871 (Pitcher).
Smock, William H. and Mary E. L. Brown, May 20, 1875 (Baldwin).
Smyth, William M. and Phebe C. Paradise, Oct. 4, 1873 (Mesick).
Sneddiker, Cæsar and Celia Staats, Sept. 10, 1841 (Zabriskie).
Snedicker, William and Jane Griggs, Dec. 11, 1797 (Snowden).
Sneider, Peter and Elizabeth Abbot, Nov. 10, 1813 (Vredenburgh).
Snoden, Charles W. and Joanna Hoagland, Dec. 23, 1868 (Pitcher).
Snook, Charles and Sarah Kintner, Mar. 28, 1857 (Ludlow).
Snook, Jacob and Francina Tidd, Sept. 19, 1863 (Romeyn).
Snook, Joseph and Cornelia Gordon, Dec. 24, 1874 (Mesick).
Snooke, Andrew and Ann Wan Bath, Apr. 15, 1818 (Stout).
Snowden, William N. and Susan A. Flagg, Sept. 30, 1857 (Gardiner).
Suydam, Abraham and Betsy White, Sept. 25, 1807 (Finley).
Suydam, Abram W. and Julia D. Waldron, Oct. 23, 1872 (Oliver).
Suydam, Andrew B. and Margaret S. Van Deventer, Jan. 6, 1836 (Shultz).
Suydam, Cæsar and Dinah Field, Oct. 14, 1833 (Fisher).
Suydam, Charles and Abigail Tunison, Aug. 24, 1833 (Wilson).
Suydam, Charles and Elizabeth Moore, Jan. 5, 1837 (Shultz).
Suydam, Charles B. and Sarah Ann Emmons, Oct. 21, 1854 (Carrell).
Suydam, George W. and Dielena Stothoff, Aug. 27, 1843 (Van Doren).
Suydam, Hendrick and Polly Ingle, Mar. 31, 1802 (Finley).
Suydam, Jacob and Eliza Boylan, Nov. 23, 1813 (Hunt).
Suydam, John G. and Caroline Voorhees, Mar. 21, 1866 (Gardner).
Suydam, Lawrence G. and A. Louisa Wyckoff, Oct. 31, 1866 (Searle).
Suydam, Matthew and Ann Boorum, Oct. 27, 1821 (Ludlow).
Suydam, Nicholas and Rachel Runyon, Sept. 25, 1807 (Finley).
Suydam, Peter and Catharine Van Nuys, Sept. 30, 1835 (Zabriskie).
Suydam, Peter I. and Lydia Ann Davis, June 11, 1825 (Labagh).
Suydam, Peter I. and Sarah French, Oct. 20, 1841 (Van Doren).
Suydam, Peter L. and Laconia Lant, Aug. 18, 1852 (Van Doren).
Snydam, Samuel and Sarah Maria Brokaw, Jan. 29, 1846 (Messler).
Suydam, Thomas and Letty Kilpatrick, Aug. 8, 1857 (Brush).

Suydam, William P. and Sarah Van Nostrand, Jan. 25, 1834 (Sears).
Snyder, William I. and Fanny Eliza Giles, Oct. 13, 1852 (Van Doren).
Sofield, Martin and Sarah Suratt, Nov. 19, 1836 (Cox).
Sohnie, Hermann and Kunajwriaa Fisher, Apr. 4, 1847 (Besel).
Soloman, Henry and Sarah Schenck, Dec. 22, 1811 (Zabriskie).
Solomon, Theodore and Emily Van Doren, June 8, 1851 (Van Doren).
Somerset, Asher and Susan Nevius, Sept. 25, 1840 (Blauvelt).
Somerset, Benjamin and Dian Crater, Mar. 1, 1847 (Blauvelt).
Sorter, Jacob and Harriet Edwards, Dec. 15, 1853 (Romeyn).
Sorter, John and Rebecca Sorter, July 20, 1834 (Cruser).
Sorton, William D. and Lauvena Young, July 11, 1868 (Ludlow).
Southard, Isaac and Mary Doty, Jan. 13, 1807 (Finley).
Southard, James and Kitty Whitenack, Dec. 10, 1810 (Finley).
Southard, Rev. James L. and Jennie W. Dayton, June 15, 1870 (Le Fevre).
Southard, James W. and Ann Henry, April 12, 1831 (Van Kleek).
Southard, Lot and Sally Reky, Dec. 30, 1795 (Finley).
Southard, Robert F. and Ann Bedell, Dec. 22, 1836 (Cox).
Southard, Robert F. and Joanna Baird, Mar. 2, 1842 (Harris).
Southard, Stephen and Catharine Doty, Dec. 12, 1793 (Finley).
Space, Crayton M. and Sarah Ann Tolen, May 10, 1834 (Blauvelt).
Space, John S. and Eliza E. Mullen, Nov. 14, 1835 (Blauvelt).
Spader, Christian V. D. and Sarah Jane Schenck, Sept. 25, 1841 (Ludlow).
Spader, Jonathan and Christiana Voorhees, June 27, 1797 (Studdiford).
Spader, Peter and Anna Parker, Oct. 12, 1823 (Boggs).
Spark, John and Betsy Morgan, Oct. 5, 1805 (Finley).
Sparling, Samuel and Martha Blair, Mar. 17, 1869 (Mann).
Spencer, Aaron H. and Anna Duery, Dec. 12, 1870 (Coddington, Justice).
Spencer, John and Caroline Giddis, July 4, 1843 (Cox).
Sperling, George and Aletta Van Fleet, Nov. 12, 1831 (Ludlow)
Spetle, Joseph and Caroline Heaton, Feb. 16, 1853 (Cornell).
Spicer, John and Mary Johnson, Nov. 12, 1816 (Fonde).
Spoiling, John and Phebe Eddy, Sept. 20, 1801 (Finley).
Spurling, William C. and Julia Moplis, Feb. 1, 1861 (Gardner).
Squier, Israel and Martha Kirkpatrick, Dec. 27, 1821 (Brownlee).
Squier, Jonathan and Ellen Smith, Sept. 20, 1866 (Messler).
Staats, Abraham and Mariah Bergen, Dec. 22, 1801 (Vredenburgh).
Staats, Abraham and Ellen Gano, Dec. 13, 1843 (Ludlow).
Staats, Abraham and Jane Barber, ——— (Pitcher).
Staats, Alexander B. and Mary Dolliver, Nov. 21, 1855 (Messler).
Staats, Boston and Elizabeth De Groot, Dec. 18, 1841 (Rodgers).
Staats, Boston and Dinah Staats, June 22, 1845 (Chambers).
Staats, Cornelius and Magdalena Garretson, Mar. 1, 1815 (Zabriskie).
Staats, Cornelius N. and Mary Jane Conover, Feb. 6, 1862 (Van Doren).
Staats, Curt B. and Ellen V. Peterson, Oct. 22, 1839 (Ludlow).
Staats, Garret B. and Mary Joanna Hageman, Feb. 25, 1877 (Hart).
Staats, Henry and Elsey Brokaw, May 27, 1820 (Labagh).
Staats, Henry and Ellen Staats, Oct. 22, 1825 (Zabriskie).

Staats, Henry and Hannah Fields, Dec. 27, 1832 (Blauvelt).
Staats, Henry and Judy Fisher, Jan. 5, 1847 (Rodgers).
Staats, Henry and Matilda Ann Young, June 1, 1865 (Ludlow).
Staats, Henry B. and Catharine Maria Van Arsdale, Nov. 29, 1848 (Messler).
Staats, Henry D. and Garretta Wyckoff, Jan. 11, 1866 (Pitcher).
Staats, Isaac and Mary A. Matthews, Nov. 26, 1840 (Zabriskie).
Staats, Jack and Catharine Davis, Mar. 16, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Staats, James and Alletta Ann Van Nuys, Oct. 8, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Staats, James P. and Anna Peterson, Feb. 5, 1862 (Ludlow).
Staats, Jeremiah and Mariah Van Duyn, Feb. 28, 1833 (Messler).
Staats, Jeremiah and Mary A. Stout, May 26, 1863 (Searle).
Staats, Joakim Q. and Mary D. Van Nest, Jan. 8, 1874 (Parry).
Staats, John and Margaret Hoagland, Nov. 8, 1828 (Zabriskie).
Staats, John and Lucretia Sutphen, Feb. 2, 1853 (Romeyn).
Staats, John and Eleanor French, Nov. 4, 1863 (Le Fevre).
Staats, John A. and Gertrude S. Whitenack, Apr. 15, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Staats, John A. and Ann Skillman, July 29, 1852 (Romeyn).
Staats, John Christian and Margaret Patrey, June 28, 1860 (Le Fevre).
Staats, John H. and Sarah C. More, Oct. 6, 1877 (Mesick).
Staats, John I. and Elizabeth Whitenack, Oct. 21, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Staats, John I. and Deborah Ann Gatzman, Dec. 14, 1837 (Messler).
Staats, John P. and Johannah Van Doren, Feb. 7, 1828 (Zabriskie).
Staats, John P. and Mariah Barcalow, Nov. 14, 1833 (Zabriskie).
Staats, John S. and Elmira Hoagland, Aug. 12, 1857 (Rider).
Staats, Joseph and Molly Van Derveer, March 9, 1834 (Wilson).
Staats, Peter and Mary Smith, Dec. 22, 1825 (Boggs).
Staats, Peter and Susan Quick, April 15, 1840 (Zabriskie).
Staats, Peter and Mary Chaplin, Mar. 13, 1849 (Rodgers).
Staats, Peter C. and Magdalen Gano, Dec. 8, 1849 (Ludlow).
Staats, Peter G. and Sarah I. Voorhees, Oct. 18, 1854 (Romeyn).
Staats, Peter H. and Catharine Gulick, June 4, 1834 (Sears).
Staats, Peter J. and Catharine L. Brokaw, Sept. 1, 1864 (Gardner).
Staats, Peter S. and Maria V. N. Sebring, Aug. 13, 1874 (McWilliams).
Staats, Peter V. and Catharine Peterson, Oct. 9, 1832 (Ludlow).
Staats, Peter V. and Maria DeMott, June 6, 1843 (Van Doren).
Staats, Peter V. and Mary J. Van Cleef, Oct. 10, 1866 (Gardner).
Staats, Richard and Emiline Somerset, Mar. 19, 1859 (Le Fevre).
Staats, Richard F. and Mary Jane Clawson, Dec. 11, 1872 (Pitcher).
Staats, Robert and Afee Van Liew, June 18, 1852 (Cammann, Justice).
Staats, Rynear and Sarah Dimas, Jan. 27, 1829 (Zabriskie).
Staats, Rynear and Addie Wyckoff, Oct. 25, 1866 (Gardner).
Staats, Stephen G. and Martha V. Gulick, Jan. 15, 1874 (McWilliam).
Staats, Thomas and Sarah Joanna Voorhees, July 4, 1846 (Chambers).
Staats, William B. and Ellen Tunison, Dec. 14, 1869 (Ludlow).
Stalee, William and Anne Bell, Oct. 27, 1822 (Boggs).
Stanbury, Charles and Mary Ann Van Doren, Sept. 4, 1862 (Mesick).
Stanford, Daniel K. and Margaret T. Hall, Nov. 7, 1863 (English).
Stansbury, R. and Charity Steele, Feb. 3, 1814 (Hardenbergh).
Starr, Henry and Catharine S. Zabriskie, Sept. 10, 1839 (Zabriskie).

Stedman, Charles and Mary Hageman, Jan. 6, 1814, (Labagh).
Steel, John and Anne Kirkpatrick, June 20, 1812 (Finley).
Steel, Nehemiah V. and Sophia Garretson, Dec. 29, 1819 (Boggs).
Steele, Garret and Sarah Ann Van Deventer, May 17, 1864 (Messler).
Steele, William G. and Mary Elizabeth Henry, Sept. 7, 1848 (Messler).
Steinberg, Robert and Margaret Armstrong, Nov. 26, 1873 (Rowland).
Stelle, Gifford D. and Maria S. Tingley, Jan. 10, 1877 (Clark).
Stelle, Manning and Eliza A. Camardon, June 1, 1854 (Van Doren).
Stengess, Nathaniel B. and Abby Saunders, Dec. 10, 1839 (Harris).
Stephens, Doctor and Jane Bayard, April 6, 1814 (Zabriskie).
Stephens, Elijah D. and Sarah E. Oliver, Feb. 15, 1842 (Harris).
Stephens, Henry and Sarah Rue, Sept. —, 1828 (Blauvelt).
Stephens, John R. and Miriam B. Voorhees, Nov. 6, 1866 (Blauvelt).
Stephens, John W. and Hannah Winne, Dec. 28, 1843 (Harris).
Sterley, David and Julia Marine, Jan. 20, 1855 (Messler).
Sterling, Freeman and Maria Prall, June 18, 1840 (Rodgers).
Sterling, Freeman S. and Rachel Creed, June 5, 1859 (Rider).
Stetson, Archibald and Elizabeth Allen, Feb. 21, 1844 (Harris).
Stevens, Abraham B. and Catharine Reynolds, May 8, 1862 (English).
Stevens, Abraham V. and Anna E. Gillipsie, July 22, 1855 (Rankin).
Stevens, Elijah and Isabell Wortman, Sept. 26, 1804 (Schureman).
Stevens, Elijah and Margt. Hulsizer, Sept. 15, 1869 (Pool).
Stevens, George J. and Phebe Ann Olliver, April 7, 1852 (Rankin).
Stevens, Henry J. and Margaret Hoffman, Aug. 21, 1842 (Schenck).
Stevens, James B. and Christian Zukschwert, Nov. 29, 1872 (Palmer).
Stevens, John and Rebecca McKinney, Apr. 19, 1806 (Studdiford).
Stevens, John M. and Mariah Williamson, Oct. 5, 1833 (Wilson).
Stevens, Joseph and Marrilla McCord, Dec. 31, 1849 (English).
Stevens, Joseph and Jane E. King, Dec. 26, 1860 (English).
Stevens, Richard H. and Carrie Smith, Feb. 4, 1872 (McConaughy).
Stevenson, Albert C. and Amy Lance, Oct. 8, 1874 (Mesick).
Stevenson, Henry and Elizabeth Coshund, Sept. 23, 1815 (Labagh).
Stevenson, John and Elizabeth Gumble, May 30, 1869 (Mesick).
Stevenson, Samuel H. and Helen Bunn, June 3, 1858 (Messler).
Stevenson, William W. and Agnes Cook, Jan. 1, 1875 (Dutcher).
Steveson, Joseph H., M. D. and Ann Eliza Bunn, Jan. 18, 1855 (Messler).
Steward, Charles and Ruth Whitenack, Oct. 10, 1805 (Finley).
Stewart, Abel T. and Eliza Jane Steele, Jan. 3, 1854 (Messler).
Stewart, Daniel C. and Mary Jane Campbell, Aug. 31, 1857 (Conins).
Stewart, David and Catharine Voorhees, Jan. 4, 1827 (Fisher).
Stewart, Edward and Mary Ann Bush, May 4, 1863 (Bush).
Stewart, George and Phebe Saunders, Dec. 3, 1812 (Finley).
Stewart, George and Elizabeth Ogden, May 1, 1847 (Jennings).
Stewart, Jacob V. and Phebe Van Arsdalen, May 24, 1834 (Ludlow).
Stewart, James and Elizabeth Case, April 9, 1816 (Galpin).
Stewart, Robert and Fanny Miller, Sept. 8, 1827 (Zabriskie).
Stewart, William and Catharine Voorhees, Dec. 6, 1828 (Labagh).
Stier, Charles and Catharine Crughlin, Mar. 19, 1854 (Van Doren).
Stiger, David Traphegen and Jane Campbell Todd, Nov. 25, 1855 (Blauvelt).

Stigler, Columbus and Catharine Wilhelmina Miller, Apr. 2, 1850 (Messler).
Stiles, Isaac and Deborah Kelley, July 20, 1822 (Boggs).
Stiles, Jonathan and Sarah Cousal, Aug. 19, 1802 (Finley).
Stiles, William and Delia Bailey, May, 1824 (Brownlee).
Still, Abel and Catharine J. Davis, Mar. 15, 1810 (Vredenburgh).
Still, Isaac and Margaret Davis, Jan. 29, 1818 (Boggs).
Stille, James and Cornelia Polhemus, Nov. 20, 1838 (Rodgers).
Stille, Nelson and Hannah Ann Polhemus, Apr. 6, 1836 (Rodgers).
Stillwell, Henry and Catharine Brokaw, Mar. 18, 1830 (Van Kleek).
Stillwell, Jeremiah and Lavina Van Arsdalen, Oct. 30, 1814 (Fonde).
Stillwell, John and Eliza Longstreet, May 3, 1821 (Galpin).
Stillwell, Joseph and Clara Perrine, Dec. 24, 1846 (Messler).
Stillwell, Simon and Anna McCannon, July 25, 1877 (Cammann, Justice).
Stine, Jacob and Mary Elizabeth Richards, Dec. 25, 1856 (Mathis).
Stine, William and Elen Dile, Sept. 9, 1864 (Cammann, Justice).
Stites, Benjamin and Phebe Nixon, Nov. 10, 1842 (Cox).
Stites, Elijah W. and Rachel Pennington, Jan. 6, 1830 (Cox).
Stites, Harrison and Sarah Ann Blazier, Sept. 8, 1847 (Cox).
Stites, Isaac and Mercy Wilson, Dec. 30, 1843 (Cox).
Stites, Isaac and Hannah M. Conklin, July 3, 1858 (English).
Stites, John and Eliza Pope, Oct. 13, 1842 (Cox).
Stites, John and Adaline Pope, Feb. 28, 1848 (Cox).
Stochli, Francis R., M. D., and Louisa Schwaerer, June 17, 1861 (Whitney).
Stockton, Edward and Caroline Updyke, July 2, 1834 (Rice).
Stockton, Edward and Maria Updike, Aug. 20, 1853 (Romeyn).
Stockton, Silas and Rachel Delty, Jan. 1, 1838 (Rice).
Stockwell, Joshua and Ann Jane McElhousey, Feb. 3, 1846 (Messler).
Stokem, Adolphus W. and Annie C. Harned, Nov. 27, 1862 (Rodgers).
Stoothoof, J. H. and Ella Voorhees, Oct. 6, 1868 (Gardner).
Stoothoof, John and Ida Garretson, Nov. 12, 1816 (Zabriskie).
Stoothoff, Peter and Juda Sutphin, Dec. 20, 1797 (Studdiford).
Stothoff, George and Martha Post, ——— (Pitcher).
Stothoff, James and Mariah Stillwell, Dec. 22, 1841 (Van Doren).
Stothoff, John and Ann D. Stewart, Feb. 4, 1834 (Messler).
Stothoff, Peter and Eliza Ann Howell, May 1, 1844 (Van Doren).
Stott, John Richard Darly and Sarah Maria Boice, Feb. 21, 1866 (Romaine).
Stout, ——— and Margaret Ten Eyck, Mar. 19, 1810 (Studdiford).
Stout, Abraham and Susan Lattourette, May 14, 1856 (Brush).
Stout, Abraham P. and Ellen Cortelyou, Mar. 29, 1850 (Blauvelt).
Stout, Benjamin and Elizabeth Castner, Feb. 2, 1820 (Galpin).
Stout, Charles S. and Mary R. Fisher, Aug. 14, 1832 (Ludlow).
Stout, Charles W. and Mary H. Chamville, Nov. 16, 1815 (Galpin).
Stout, Cornelius and Eliza Simonson, June 10, 1840 (Sears).
Stout, David and Gertrude V. Hoagland, Dec. 2, 1874 (Williams).
Stout, Elijah and Lucretia Voorhees, Oct. 10, 1832 (Ludlow).
Stout, George M. and Hannah Stout, Jan. 2, 1807 (Stout).

Stout, Henry, Rev., and Lizzie G. Provost, June 30, 1868 (Le Fevre).
Stout, Isaac and Esther Bennet, Nov. 29, 1832 (Zabriskie).
Stout, Isaiah I. and Ann Lummason, Sept. 4, 1834 (Blauvelt).
Stout, J. H. and Jane A. Bulman, Aug. 9, 1848 (Gardiner).
Stout, John and Rebecca Steward, Apr. 6, 1811 (Studdiford).
Stout, John and Eliza Conover, Jan. 17, 1813 (Stout).
Stout, John and Rosannah McIntyre, Nov. 18, 1821 (Fisher).
Stout, Johnson and Sarah Wyckoff, Dec. 24, 1814 (Labagh).
Stout, Levi B. and Aletta Ann Wilson, Feb. 14, 1860 (Ludlow).
Stout, Nathan and Catharine Hageman, Oct. 26, 1806 (Stout).
Stout, Nathan C. and Elizabeth Ellen McIntosh, Oct. 6, 1838 (Ludlow).
Stout, Peter and Maria Van Doren, Nov. 28, 1811 (Hardenbergh).
Stout, Randolph and Caroline Manning, Feb. 11, 1858 (Gardner).
Stout, Richard M. and Jeminah Wyckoff, Apr. 21, 1811 (Labagh).
Stout, Robert H. and Jennie Gundre, May 5, 1870 (Doolittle).
Stout, Samuel and Hannah Savage, Mar. 24, 1821 (Brownlee).
Stout, Samuel and Catharine Blazier, Mar. 19, 1851 (Harris).
Stout, Thomas B. and Ida Jane Van Dyke, Sept. 23, 1841 (Blauvelt).
Stout, William and Ellenor C. Amerman, Dec. 23, 1834 (Dougherty).
Stout, William K. and Margaret Collins, Dec. 11, 1868 (Shann).
Stout, Zephaniah and Elenor Lane, Dec. 17, 1803 (Stryker).
Stoutoff, John and Idah Garretson, Nov. 12, 1816 (Zabriskie).
Stover, Charles and Phillis Fisher, Mar. 9, 1839 (Rodgers).
Stowe, Henry and Anna Maria Garnett, Jan. 1, 1804 (Crop).
Stradling, Jonathan W. and Hannah B. Sheafer, Aug. 22, 1868 (Le Fevre).
Stranahan, Samuel and Maria Briggs, June 20, 1857 (Rodgers).
Stranten, John S. and Catharine Ben, June 2, 1864 (Brush).
Straphagens, John and Sarah Addis, Dec. 19, 1836 (Shultz).
Strickland, Shalor S. and Elizabeth Hodge, Oct. 12, 1874 (Dutcher).
Striker, John and Mary A. Sutphen, April 18, 1855 (Brush).
Strong, Rev. Samuel and J. D. Thompson, Nov. 14, 1877 (Pitcher).
Strong, William and Jane Bedell, Dec. 16, 1841 (Harris).
Struck, Charles O. and Eleanor Ten Eyck, July 2, 1846 (Van Zandt).
Struck, John J. and Jeannette T. Auten, April 4, 1863 (Doolittle).
Struck, John N. J. and Marietta V. Petty, July 11, 1869 (Griffith).
Struve, Peter and Catharine Ziegler, Sept. 30, 1860 (Neef).
Stryker, Abraham and Catharine Smith, Nov. 7, 1808 (Studdiford).
Stryker, Abraham and Mary Schenck, Mar. 22, 1815 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Abraham and Mary Reemer, Feb. 6, 1818 (Vredenburgh).
Stryker, Abraham and Mariah Voorhees, Jan. 4, 1827 (Labagh).
Stryker, Abraham and Margaret V. D. Garretson, Oct. 11, 1837 (Messler).
Stryker, Abraham and Jane Davis, Feb. 20, 1840 (Talmage).
Stryker, Abraham and Eliza Stout, Nov. 28, 1844 (Talmage).
Stryker, Abraham V. D. and Mary T. Ditmars, Oct. 29, 1863 (Gardner).
Stryker, Abram S. and Martha Allen, Nov. 12, 1856 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Barent and Catharine Bodine, Mar. 6, 1789 (Studdiford).
Stryker, Benjamin and Elizabeth Williamson, Oct. 17, 1827 (Labagh).
Stryker, Charles I. and Sarah J. Holcombe, Mar. 23, 1855 (Romeyn).

Stryker, Charles T. and Phebe Van Arsdale, Nov. 29, 1849 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Christopher and Gitty Mariah Van Camp, June 24, 1832 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Christopher and Margaret M. Van Pelt, May 29, 1859 (Doolittle).
Stryker, Cornelius S. and Cornelia Wheatly, May 24, 1858 (Gardner).
Stryker, Daniel and Sarah Garretson, Nov. 30, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Daniel and Maria C. Brokaw, Sept. 19, 1855 (Rodgers).
Stryker, Davis and Elizabeth Stryker, Jan. 6, 1864 (Romeyn).
Stryker, Dennis and Margaret Stevens, Dec. 20, 1799 (Studdiford).
Stryker, Dennis and Nancy Davis, July 10, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Stryker, Dominicus I. and Catharine Terhune, Sept. 20, 1814 (Labagh).
Stryker, Frederick and Jane Ann Hill, Nov. 18, 1863 (Beldon).
Stryker, Garret W. and Lucy A. Elbertson, Nov. 22, 1859 (Searle).
Stryker, Hamilton and Elizabeth Stryker, Mar. 21, 1856 (Romeyn).
Stryker, Henry and Lavira Thompson, June 23, 1811 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Henry and Elizabeth Autts, Jan. 2, 1817 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Henry and Mary Ann Van Pelt, Nov. 2, 1822 (Labagh).
Stryker, Henry and Sally Wilson, Sept. 16, 1824 (Cole).
Stryker, Henry and Sarah Voorhees, Feb. 12, 1845 (Talmage).
Stryker, Henry C. and Mary Ann Van Arsdalen, Nov. 20, 1872 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Henry P. and Cecelia Allshouse, Sept. 18, 1867 (Gardner).
Stryker, Henry S. and Jane Veghte, August 11, 1827 (Labagh).
Stryker, Henry V. D. and Henrietta Brokaw, Jan. 21, 1857 (Rodgers).
Stryker, Ira S. and Amelia C. Garretson, July 28, 1863 (Messler).
Stryker, Iram and Lucretia W. Cock, Feb. 4, 1826 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Irem J. and Eliza Van Deripe, Oct. 19, 1837 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Isaac and Catharine C. Davison, Aug. 28, 1834 (Rice).
Stryker, Isaac and Catharine Brokaw, Dec. 22, 1847 (Rodgers).
Stryker, Isaac J. and Catharine Peterson, June 3, 1856 (Mesick).
Stryker, Isaac V. C. and Gitty Voorhees, Nov. 7, 1816 (Labagh).
Stryker, Isaac V. C. and Ann Stryker, June 28, 1860 (Cole).
Stryker, James and Jane Staats, Dec. 24, 1836 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, James B. and Elizabeth Hale, Oct. 6, 1849 (Campbell).
Stryker, James H. and Martha Staats, Nov. 13, 1859 (Searle).
Stryker, James N. and Maria Hall, Mar. 1, 1843 (Ludlow) .
Stryker, James T. and Aletta Dilts, Feb. 5, 1851 (Ludlow).
Stryker, John and Catharine Smith, Oct. 3, 1805 (Vredenburgh).
Stryker, John and Ann Brokaw, Dec. 30, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Stryker, John and Eliza Barcalow, Jan. 24, 1821 (Brownlee).
Stryker, John and Rebecca Cortelyou, Oct. 2, 1824 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, John and Ann Voorhees, Sept. 30, 1826 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, John and Sarah Eliza Van Nuys, June 6, 1847 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, John and Lydia A. Hildabrant, April 20, 1853 (Craven).
Stryker, John A. and Ellen W. Orr, Feb. 21, 1867 (Gardner).
Stryker, John B. and Catharine Jane Van Tine, April 1, 1855 (Sears).
Stryker, John N. and Mary Elizabeth Seabring, Nov. 15, 1877 (Mesick).
Stryker, John R. and Lucretia Skillman, Nov. 25, 1815 (Labagh).
Stryker, Joseph H. and Christiana Boudinot, Jan. 3, 1839 (Rodgers).

Stryker, Josiah and Maria Van Deripe, Nov. 18, 1843 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Peter and Hannah Van Duyn, Feb. 28, 1805 (Vredenburgh).
Stryker, Peter and Polly Perrine, Apr. 4, 1816 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Peter and Elsey V. Christopher, June 1, 1820 (Boggs).
Stryker, Peter and Ellen Voorhees, October 9, 1828 (Labagh).
Stryker, Peter and Mary Nevius, November 11, 1828 (Labagh).
Stryker, Peter and Catharine Margaret Covert, Nov. 14, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Stryker, Peter and Elizabeth Smith, May 28, 1845 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Peter A. and Ann Davis, Dec. 12, 1842 (Talmage).
Stryker, Peter I. and Jane Bills, February 5, 1831 (Labagh).
Stryker, Peter L. and Aletta K. Van Camp, May 28, 1835 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Peter R. and Mary Whitenack, Nov. 25, 1813 (Labagh).
Stryker, Peter S. and Ann Arrowsmith, Feb. 10, 1838 (Rodgers).
Stryker, Peter S. and Maria Daley, Aug. 19, 1874 (Messler).
Stryker, Peter V. Z. and Ida E. Staats, Oct. 15, 1873 (Le Fevre).
Stryker, Polhemus and Rachel Wyckoff, Nov. 13, 1833 (Zabriskie).
Stryker, Samuel and Sarah E. Hall, Aug. 29, 1858 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Simon P. and Sophia W. Voorhees, Sept. 25, 1858 (Van Doren).
Stryker, Simon V. and Hannah Coddington, Nov. 30, 1850 (Campbell).
Stryker, Stephen and Elizabeth Crane, July 15, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Stryker, Talmage and Catharine G. Elbertson, Nov. 20, 1862 (Romeyn).
Stryker, Theodore and Ellen Lott, Oct. 1, 1856 (Van Doren).
Stryker, Thomas B. and Alletta V. Fine, Feb. 7, 1858 (Le Fevre).
Stryker, Thomas C. and Sarah V. D. Smith, Sept. 15, 1847 (Williamson).
Stryker, Tunis C. and Sarah S. Whitenack, Nov. 25, 1858 (Mesick).
Stryker, Tunis C. and Phebe J. Alvord, Mar. 28, 1865 (Parsons).
Stryker, Uriah and Aletta Whitenack, March 24, 1831 (Ludlow).
Stryker, Veghte and Ann Terhune, March 25, 1820 (Labagh).
Stryker, William Henry and Matilda Van Cleef, Oct. 11, 1865 (Gardner).
Stryker, Wm. H. and Mary A. Rowe, Nov. 31, 1870 (Voorhees).
Studdiford, Peter and Marietta Bergen, Nov. 27, 1867 (Pitcher).
Stull, James H. and Rebecca E. Mattison, Nov. 14, 1865 (Ludlow).
Stull, Joseph and Phebe Van Nest, Feb. 17, 1816 (Vredenburgh).
Stuns, John and Mary Polhemus, Mar. 12, 1842 (Zabriskie).
Sturges, Elias and Cornelia Galtry, March 20, 1822 (Brownlee).
Sturges, Joseph Bonnell and Rachel Reed, Nov. 16, 1805 (Finley).
Stutton, ——— and Selvia ———, Feb. 26, 1830 (Voorhees).
Suams, Minnah and Sarah Ker, May 28, 1809 (Vredenburgh)
Sudoc, Willis and Mary Q. Owing, Oct. 26, 1850 (Gaston).
Sulivan, Samuel and Pattsy Johnson, June 6, 1801 (Studdiford).
Summers, John C. and Ella H. Lockwood, Aug. 12, 1867 (Blauvelt).
Summers, William M. and Priscilla E. Gault, July 27, 1864 (Cornell).
Sunderland, William and Lea Vroome, Feb. 7, 1816 (Labagh).
Sutphen, Arthur P. and Hannah V. Potter, Dec. 5, 1865 (Blauvelt).
Sutphen, A. V. P. and Margaret M. King, Dec. 26, 1860 (English).
Sutphen, Arthur Van Pelt and Rachel Suydam, Oct. 29, 1820 (Galpin).
Sutphen, C. S. and Sarah Barkman, Mar. 26, 1876 (Messler).
Sutphen, Cornelius L. and Ann Alkinson, Jan. 31, 1824 (Ludlow).
Sutphen, Cornelius S. and Mary Ten Eyck, Dec. 18, 1844 (Blauvelt).

Sutphen, Covert and Lucretia Skillman, Jan. 10, 1838 (Talmage).
Sutphen, Edward and Jane Ann Van Middlesworth, Jan. 16, 1839 (Ludlow).
Sutphen, Edward and Sarah G. Oppie, Jan. 6, 1870 (Gardner).
Sutphen, Gilbert and Jane Crater, January 29, 1832 (Blauvelt).
Sutphen, Jacob L. and Cristene D. Brush, October 11, 1860 (Brush).
Sutphen, Jacob Rutsen and Hannah R. Auten, Jan. 23, 1868 (Mesick).
Sutphen, John and Martha Maria Garretson, Nov. 22, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Sutphen, John and Emeline Hagaman, Dec. 7, 1859 (Mesick).
Sutphen, John and Hattie Todd, Nov. 20, 1870 (Pool).
Sutphen, John A. and Louisa E. Tunison, Jan. 10, 1861 (Messler).
Sutphen, John C., M. D., and Fannie A. King, Jan. 11, 1860 (English).
Sutphen, John V. M. and Frances Carrie Moore, Aug. 1, 1867 (Ludlow).
Sutphen, Joseph and Sarah Brokaw, Nov. 17, 1869 (Gardner).
Sutphen, Martin, Col'd, and Hannah Turner, Jan. 1, 1870 (Gardner).
Sutphen, Morris C. and Eleanor Brush, June 28, 1860 (Brush).
Sutphen, P. Theodore, M. D., and Elizabeth Haas, May 21, 1859 (Thompson).
Sutphen, Peter and Mary Melick, Mar. 25, 1826 (Fisher).
Sutphen, Peter and Sarah Smith, Aug. 23, 1834 (Fisher).
Sutphen, Peter and Helen L. Lowry, June 13, 1877 (Baldwin).
Sutphen, Peter Condict and Sarah Cortelyou, Oct. 18, 1845 (Blauvelt).
Sutphen, Peter G. and Sophia Wyckoff, Dec. 3, 1868 (Blauvelt).
Sutphen, Peter S. and Sarah J. Skillman, Mar. 21, 1867 (Gardner).
Sutphen, Ralph Y. and Sarah French, Dec. 2, 1833 (Sears).
Sutphen, Richard and Gertrude Whitenack, Jan. 24, 1855 (Romeyn).
Sutphen, Theodore and Sarah Lucretia Young, Jan. 18, 1855 (Romeyn).
Sutphen, William and Elizabeth Losey, Oct. 12, 1833 (Fisher).
Sutphen, William and Susan A, Taylor, Oct. 6, 1859 (Mesick).
Sutphen, William P. and Jane Allen, Dec. 19, 1861 (Thompson).
Sutphin, Abner and Ida Voorhees, Oct. 12, 1816 (Labagh).
Sutphin, Abner and Idah Stryker, Jan. 29, 1820 (Zabriskie).
Sutphin, Derrick and Elizabeth Dils, Feb. 27, 1833 (Ludlow).
Sutphin, John and Phebe Vosler, Aug. 13, 1815 (Galpin).
Sutphin, John and Letty Staats, Jan. 13, 1820 (Zabriskie).
Sutphin, John, Jr., and Dinah Anderson, Apr. 9, 1814 (Fonde).
Sutphin, Peter and Mary Vosseler, Mar. 16, 1810 (Studdiford).
Sutphin, Stephen and Nancy Dunham, Mar. 14, 1818 (Hardenbergh).
Sutton, Daniel H. and Catharine Ann Atkinson, Dec. 27, 1860 (Mesick).
Sutton, David and Emily Yawger, Oct. 8, 1836 (Wilson).
Sutton, Garvin and Jane Ward, Nov. 4, 1795 (Finley).
Sutton, Henry and Jane McCord, Dec. 31, 1849 (English).
Sutton, Levi and Catharine Honeyman, Mar. 13, 1834 (Fisher).
Sutton, Levi and Hannah Cummings, Nov. 9, 1843 (Harris).
Sutton, Nathaniel and Catharine Sutton, June 28, 1807 (Arrowsmith).
Sutton, William and Catharine A. Mullen, Mar. 20, 1834 (Fisher).
Sutton, William W. and Emma Jane Goltra, Jan. 7, 1863 (English).
Swackhammer, Peter K. and Mary Ann Carkhuff, Nov. 7, 1876 (Doolittle).
Swain, George W., Rev., and Annie E. Beekman, June 12, 1866 (Mesick).

Swallow, Samuel B. and Elizabeth Dockerty, Mar. 4, 1854 (Ludlow).
Swan, Jacob D. and Phebe Ann Brokaw, Dec. 31, 1846 (Rodgers).
Swaze, Benjamin and Mary Compton, Jan. 10, 1803 (Barclay).
Sweeney, Garret and Hannah Teatsworth, Oct. 6, 1827 (Ludlow).
Sweeney, James and Letty Ann French, Aug. 18, 1856 (Romeyn).
Sweeney, John and Elizabeth Oller, Dec. 31, 1851 (Craig).
Swick, Jacob and Elizabeth E. Murphy, Sept. 11, 1842 (Blauvelt).
Swicksen, Andrew and Catharine Wyckoff, Oct. 5, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Swift, Charles W. and Mary Stryker Messler, Nov. 19, 1851 (Messler).
Swindells, William B. and Mary Skelly, Mar. 29, 1871 (Le Fevre).
Swinton, William J. (M. D.) and Phoebe M. B. Cornell, Apr. 11, 1877 (Parry).
Sylvester, James E. and Margaret E. Conover, Nov. 24, 1864 (Searle).

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Jan. 1. Leydt, Dom. Johannis and Tryntje—Johannis.
Jansen, Marten and Marya—Pieter.
22. Wykoff, Jacop and Sara—Pieter.
Wykoff, Jan and Maria—Jan.
Feb. 5. Stryker, Abraham and Catriena—Annaetje.
Kroese, Henderick and Eliesabet—Elsje.
Denyk, Coenraet and Elsje—Coenraet.
Misserol, Isack and Catriena—Maregrieta.
19. Van Aersdalen, Ouke and Marya—Ouke.
Mar. 5. Stryker, Pieter and Marya—Ragel.
Apr. 2. Van Doorn, Jacop and Femmitje—Femmitje.
Janse, Pieter and Rebecke—Sytje.
Bennet, Johannis and Marya—Jannetje.
Hegeman, Dallius and Catryntje—Marya.
Beert, Alhsander and Lybetje—[Child's name not given].
Willemse, Wilhelmes and Antje—Johannis.
16. More, Hendrick and Yda—Rynire.
Hogelant, Ouke and Lenthe—Femmethe.
Schurman, Fernandes and Nelthe—Yacobes.
Brise, Jurrye and Maryya—Maryya.
May 7. Van Dyk, Matys and Neeltje—Tuentje.
Noortwyk, Filippus and Sara—Chrisstoffal. Witnesses: Chrysstoffal Perbasko and wife Lena.
Smak, Leendert and Antje—Femmetje.
Folkerse, Folkers and Marya—Jannitje.
15. Nevius, Jakobus and Pieterneltje—Eliesabet.
Van Aersdalen, Henderik and Jannitje—Douwe.
Willemse, Jakobus and Maria—Gerrit.
June 4. Voorhees, Gerrit and Neeltje—Petrus.

Kehaert, Tomas and Marya—Eliesabet.
Van Deventer, Jakobus and Eliesabet—Abraham.
18. Nevius, Petrus and Anaetje—David.
Koevert, Johannis and Marta—Daniel.
Van Nist, Hederik and Johanna—Henderikus.
Groenendyk, Johannis and Sara—Abraham.
July 2. Veghte, Gerrit and Eliesabet—Jannetje; Magdelena.
Nevius, Petrus and Marya—Neeltje.
Broka, Abraham and Eliesabet—Pieter.
Demon, Pieter and Ariejaentje—Johanna.
16. Leek, Tomas and Mayke—Nicklass.
Sept. 10. Venderveer, Jan and Sytje—Jannitje.
Voorhees, Albert and Neeltje—Jeremias.
Van Sant, Wynant and Ragel—Geertje.
24. Davits, Tomas and Catrina—Willem.
Snedeker, Isack and Catriena—Jannitje.
Kouenoven, Cornelius and Anaetje—Jacop; Abraham; Isack.
Vanderveer, Demenicus and Marya—Johannie.
Blauw, Wilhelmus and Margrietje—Neeltje.
Oct. 29. Van Pelt, Pieter and Maria—Roeloff.
Corteljou, Elbert and Helena—Roeleff.
Vonk, Jan and Geertje—Henderik.
Gulick, Ferdenandus and Marleentje—Peterus.
Sedan, Jacip and Antje—Elsje.
Nov. 12. Schenk, Henderik and Helena—Johannis.
Voorhees, Pieter and Sara—Petrus.
Prevoost, Jonetan and Ariejaantje—Ariejaantje.
Bokeloe, Joneton and Eliesabet—Jaaers.
Gulick, Jocghem and Rebecke—Johannis.
Hooms, Obadijah and Marya—Willem.
Van Aersdalen, Henderik and Catlynje—Annaetje. Witnesses: Christoffel Van Aersdalen and wife Marleentje.
Dec. 17. Wykhoff, Jacobus and Catlyntje—Sarah.

1759.

Jan. 21. Hogelant, Abraham and Johana—Johana.
Van Aersdalen, Corneles and Sara—Corneles.
Feb. 4. Speerling, Johannis and Catryntje—Abraham; Isaac.
Monvoort, Petrus and Cornelia—Sara. Witnesses: Christoffel Prebasco and wife Sara. ["These names have been carried over in the church book of Suerland"].
Hoglant, Henderik and Marya—Sara.
18. Sturkes, Marregrieta—Myndert.
Hogelant, Johannis and Matje—Jannetje.
Skilman, John and Anna—Abraham.
Mar. 4. Boshart, Roelof and Barbera—Sara.
Terhunen, Albert and Marya—Daniel.
Apr. 8. Gulick, Samuel and Maria—Anna.
Van Aersdalen, Cornelus and Cathyntje—Jocghem.
22. Blauw, Jan and Catrynje—Henderik.

Gulick, Jochem and Cornelia—Lea.
Bennet, Jan and Annaetje—Neeltje.
Quick, Tuenis and Lena—Martynus.
Brouwer, Josip and Antje—Tomas.
May 6. Perbesko, Jan and Dyna—Maria.
Van Kleef, Juryas and Ida—Maria.
Willemse, Samuel and Margrietje—Willem.
20. Willemse, Marya—Marya. Witness: Willem Willemse.
31. Nevius, Petrus and Aeltje—Jannitje. Witness: Susanne Nevius.
Menlie, Jan and Geertje—Charity.
June 3. Van Aersdalen, Jurrie and Aeltje—Jurrie.
Van Devanter, Marya—Neeltje.
Hickbie, Catriena—Henderik. Witness: Henderik Stols.
Kroese, Abraham and Marta—Helena.
Pelhemus, Daniel and Willemje—Abraham and Neeltje.
4. Dehart, Cornelus and Mayke—Abraham.
July 15. Van Dyk, Jan and Gerritje—Tuenje.
Van Kleef, Johannis and Grietje—Sara.
Aug. 12. Wykof, Jacop and Angenitje—Annaetje.
Merrell, Roger and Sara—Dirck.
Herresen, Henry and Antje—Maria.
26. Wykoff, Jacip and Sara—Jan. ["Was entered in the Raritan church book"].
Sept. 9. Sedam, Petrus and Femmitje—Jannitje.
Willemse, Willem and Angenietje—Isack.
Kroese, Dirck and Lybetje—Eliesabet.
Zutfen, Jacob and Neeltje—Jacob.
23. Boreem, Nicklaes and Antje—Jacop.
Oct. 14. Gerritse, Gerrit and Sara—Dirck.
Van Aersdalen, Ouke and Marya—Jannitje.
Stols, Pieter and Eliesabet—Pieter.
Stols, Engel and Jesiena—Eliesabet.
Vanderbeek, Rem and Marta—Ruben.
Voorhees, Jan and Anna—Ida.
Snedeker, Isack—Isaack.
Nov. 11. Kroese, Henderick and Eliesabet—Helena.
25. Hegemen, Benjamin and Geertje—Annatje.
Van Aarsdalen, Jan and Lenah—Lammetje.
Van Doorn, Jan and Marretje—Cornelius.
Hogeland, Jacob and Maria—Johannes.
Hogeland, Hendrik—Abraham.
Dec. 23. Perbesco, Hendrik and Elsje—Pieter.
26. Cappey(?) Johannes and Margariet—Elizabeth. Witnesses: Hendrick Stols and wife Geertruy.

1760.
Mar. 3. Berrien, Pieter and Anna—Anna.
Ditmarse, Rem and Helena—Marya.
30. Hegemen, Symon and Aaltje—Jan.
Apr. 13. Voorhees, Luykas and Neeltje—Teunis.

27. Fort, Tomas, and Catrina—Anna.
May 11. Wyckof, Symon and Aelthe—Kresteyan.
Yurcksen, Peter and Annathe—Yohanes.
Grigs, Barent and Yacamynthe—Samuel.
June 6. Hegemen, Jakobus and Eliesabet—Maria.
Stryker, Barent and Eliesabet—Eliesabet.
Simson, Abraham and Margritje—Marleintje.
Voorhees, Koert and Catriena—Nicklaes.
15. Vanderver, Jan and Seytie—Jannethe.
Van Aersdalen, Hendrik and Catelyna—Christoffel.
Kovert, Johannes and Martha—Annathe.
Wykhof, Jacobes and Cathelynthe—Catelynthe.
Aug. 3. Van Leuwe, Jan and Doorte—Frederick, Witness: Helena Van Leuwe.
Vecgte, Jan and Catriena—Nicklaes.
Gulick, Jakobus and Marytje—Catrina.
Brown, Andrew and Hannah—Mary.
Bergen, Joris and Maria—Christoffel; Yda (twins). Witnesses: Christoffel Perbasco and wife Betje; Willem Post and wife Ida.
Van Noertroyk, Marte and Neeltje—Arijaentje.
17. Corteljou, Albert and Helena—Henderik.
Groenendyk, Johannis and Sara—Isaak.
Snedeker, Jan and Sara—Gerrit.
Sept. 28. Schuerman, Fernandus and Neeltje—Abraham.
Bergen, Jacop and Margrietje—Elsje.
Oct. 12. Stoothoff, Johannis and Sara—Anna.
Schenk, Henderik and Helena—Henderick.
Gulick, Pietrus and Willemje—Nicklaes.
Kreeg, Joost and Sjaerlotta—Antje.
Hooms, Obadya and Maria—Obadya.
Vechte, Abraham and Maria—Nellie.
Janse, Pieter and Rabecka—Johannis; Jannetje (twins).
Nov. 30. Koolder, Nicklaes and Marya—[Child's name not entered].
Dec. 14. Hogelant, Chrisstoffel and Sara—Sara.
Wykoff, Jakobus and Sytje—Wilemje.
Cornel, Cornelus and Willemje—Willem.

1761.

Feb. 1. Manly, John and Geertj—Maria.
Mar. 1. Rappelye, Cornelas and Mrite—Elisebet.
Vanarsdalen, Corneles and Sara [or Soval]—Myndert.
Kenne, Symen and Marragethe—Marggrethe.
Messalar, Jacobes and Yannithe—Mryya.
Voorhiese, Cornelis and Lena—Jan.
Sutven, Wellem and Wyna—Petree.
22. Vandyk, Matys and Neeltje—Margrieta.
Geritse, Stefanus and Femmitje—Rem.
Hogelant, Dirck and Marta—Grietje.
Apr. 26. Gulick, Samuel and Maria—Abraham.
Van Aerdalen, Cornelus and Cathyntje—Geertje.

Stryker, Maria—Pieter. Witness: Barent Stryker.
Snedeker, Isack and Sara—Sytje.
May 3. Melcher, Frederik and Catriena—Maria.
17. Leek, Jan and Margrieta—Jakobus.
Cornel, Albartus and Antje—Jannitje.
Gulick, Ferdenandus and Marleentje—Johannis.
Kroese, Abraham and Marta—Rachel.
Sudaem, Jacob and Aenthe—Knelis; Seymen.
Van Lewen, Deneys and Eyda—Denys.
Williamson, Samuel and Margrehthe—Cornelis.
Herresin, Hennery and Nensay—William.
June 14. Kroese, Henderik and Eliesabet—Wilhelmus.
Stols, Engel and Esiena—Jacop.
Cheerdener, Johan Jurri and Maria—Eliesabet; Christiena; Johan Jurrie.
July 5. Perbesco, Henderik and Elsje—Maria.
Van Dyk, Jan and Gerritje—Elsje.
Hikbie, Catriena—Johannis. Witness: Henderik Stols.
Hogelant, Johannis and Martje—Maria.
Gerritse, Gerrit and Sara—Sara.
19. Voorhees, Abraham and Maria—Minne.
Aug. 2. Van Pelt, Pieter and Maria—Abraham.
Wykoff, Simon and Aeltje—Eliesabet.
Wenk, Jacop and Eliesabet—Rabecka.
Terhunen, Albert and Maria—Abraham.
Van Pelt, Henderik and Sara—Josip.
16. Van Aersdalen, Gerrit and Ariejaentje—Chrisstoffel.
Hogelant, Jacop and Marya—Jacop.
Pinbroek, David and Ariejaenje—Maria.
Sept. 6. Corteljou, Henderik and Annaetje—Henderik.
12. Bogert, Nathanael and Maria—Cornelius.
Hogelant, Hederick and Jannitje—Jan.
20. Wykoff, Jan and Willemje—Marya.
Lybet; [child] may or may not be the child of Jan Wykoff and Willemje.
Gerritse, Samuel and Jannitje—Petrus; Johannes (twins).
Oct. 4. Gulick, Jocghem and Rebecka—Benjemen.
Nov. 29. Ditmarse, Rem and Lena—Catryntje.
Dec. 13. Hallenhed, Francis and Doorete Hallenhed—Leisebet.
27. Van Engelen, Cornelius and Sara—Maria.

1762.

Jan. 3. Sedam, Petrus and Femmitje—Antje.
Vliet, Geertje, wife of Daniel Vliet—Gerrit.
Biedt, Alksander and Eliesabet—Eliesabet.
17. Van Aersdalen, Henderik and Sathynje—Jan.
31. Voorhees, Johannis and Neeltje—Johannis.
Feb. 14. Van Doorn, Jan and Matje—Jacop.
Mar. 14. Williamson, Willim and Maria—Catreina.
Brower, Josuph and Enne—[Child's name not entered].
28. Wellmsen, Wellem and Angenithe—Willim.

Apr. 11. Van Klef, Johannes and Grithe—Johannes.
Quick, Abraham and Maghtel—Teunes.
June 6. Carteljou, Albert and Helena—Jakus.
Wykhoff, Jakobus and Cathyntje—Neeltje.
Van Leeuwe, Johannis and Doorte—Johannis.
20. Sithn, Willem and Wyna—Annie.
Vechgte, Abraham and Maria—Marta.
Foord, Tomas and Catriena—Frensis.
July 18. Van Leuwen, Frederick and Marytje—Geertje.
Voorhees, Lucas and Neeltje—Lucas.
Schenk, Henderik and Lena—Maria; as witnesses for the child of Abraham Van Deventer. [So appears in the original].
Willemse, Jakobus and Marya—Antje.
Voorhees, Jan and Anna—Marytje.
Aug. 1. Vanderveer, Petrus and Jannitje—Lammitje. Witnesses: Lucas Schenk and wife Lammitje.
Gulick, Joghem and Corneliea—Anna.
15. Skilman, Johannis and Anna—Abraham.
Sept. 9. Nevius, Petrus and Aeltje—David.
Wykoff, Jakobus and Lytje—Susanna.
12. Koevert, Johannis and Marta—Johannis.
Hegeman, Benjamen and Geertje—Benjemen.
26. Vecgte, Gerrit and Eliesabet—Eliesabet.
Hooms, Obadya and Marya—Abraham.
Oct. 10. Gulick, Peterus and Willemje—Peterus.
Stryker, Barent and Eliesabet—Antje.
17. Kiune, Syme and Margrieta—Syme.
Nov. 5. Groenendeyck, Johannes and Sarah—Neeltje.
7. Vanderveer, Jan and Sytje—Petrus; Belitje.
Willemse, Gerrit and Geertje—Nicklaas.
21. Hogelant, Chrisstoffel and Sara—Sara.
Dec. 5. Kroese, Henderik and Eliesabet—Henderika.
Voorhees, Abraham and Maria—Jacop.
Stols, Engel and Eyena—Hendrik. "Was baptized last Tuesday at Cranberry."
Catrene, wife of Elise Higbee—Joseph. "Was baptized last Tuesday at Cranberry." Witness: Hendrik Stols.
26. Dehart, Cornis and Marya—Annatie.
Hogelant, Dirrik and Marta—Dirck.

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Jan. 16. Simsen(?), Abraham—Femmitie.
Van Pelt, Tuenes—Aelthe.
Yurcks, Peter—Yacobes.
30. Streyker, Yosep and Maryya—Barent.
Mar. 6. Manly, John and Gerthe—Lisebat.
Wyckoff, Symon and Aelthe—Aelthe.
Apr. 3. Van Dick, Yan and Garritye—Roleff.
Geulick, Samuel and Maryya—Ysack.
Pomme, Peter and Eyda—Maryya.

17. Van Buren, Jan and Sara(?)—Taunthe.
May 1. Gerrese, Steven and Femete—Jan.
12. Wyckoff, Yacob and Catelyna—Sara.
Dettemas, Rem and Lena—Femmethe.
June 19. Corteljou, Hendrick and Johanna(?)—Welhelmas.
Boorem, Necalas—Anthe.
Blau, Peter and Maryya—Hendrick.
Sudam, Isack and Sara—Petrus.
July 10. Blau, Jan and Trinte—Mariya.
Wyckoff, Corneleus and Lamethe—Catrina.
Van Luwe, Denis and Eyda—Johannes.
Voorhees, Corneleus and Leya—Luykas.
30. Tarhune, Albrt and Mryya—Lena.
Aug. 14. Van Dick, Matyse and Nelthe—Catrina.
Wellimse, Samuel and Grethe—Petrus.
Sept. 25. Skilman, John and Enne—John.
Skilman, Tomes and Enne—Lena.
Van Asdalen, Cornelius and Catlyna—Jan.
Onderonk, Hendrik and Ragel—Hendrik.
Hogelant, Hendrick and Maryja—Johannes.
Wedel, Robert and Maryya—Willim.
Rapelye, Joris and Stynthe—Althe.
Wyllkens, Obedyeh and Sara—Elesebet.
Oct. 23. Probasco, Jan and Dina—Dina.
Veghte, Jan and Cheti—Maryya.
Hullenhet, Francis and Dorthe—Lena.
Nov. 4. Hogeland, Yohannas and Maratye—Catrina.
Wyckof, Abraham and Arayante—Cornelis.
6. Scurmen, Fernandus and Nelthi—Anna.
Bennet, Adrian and Yanithe—Johannis.
Van Klef, Yurius and Eyda—Catrina.
Vanpelt, Peter and Mag.—Helena.
Yonsen, Peter and Rabecca—Corneleya.
Fris, Peter and Gertje—Wylhelmus.
20. Lyt, Johannes and Trynye—Petrus. Witnesses: Peter Mesure and Trynthe Sleght.
Whitlock, James and Jannetje—Moses.
Dec. 4. Hegemen, Symon and Aelthe—Symon.
Borem, Corneles and Nelthe—Femmethe.
Gerfetsen, Samuel and Yanethe—Yanethe.
Voorhees, Yagus and Neltye—Jagues.
Van Arsdalen, Gerret and Aneantye—Catelyna.
Vantyn, Charel and Lisebit—Matheus.
18. Gulick, Johannes and Lammetje—Joachim.

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(No Month). Nevious, Petrus and Aulthie—Meregreta.
Jan. 1. Willemsen, Wellem and Marya—Anajae.
15. Van Lue, Cornelus and Anthe—Marya.
29. Yulick, Johannes and Lena—Johana.
Witlock, John and Althe—Gerthe.

Vlet, Geathe, wife of Dennel—Anthe.
Feb. 12. Stootof, Petrus and Anye—Sara.
Vanarsdalen, Cristoffel and Catrina—Nelthe.
26. Payat, John and Yanatye—Yanatye.
Mar. 11. Karteljou, Albert and Lena—Neeltie.
Noorstrant, Johannis and Antie—Isack.
25. Voorhees, Johannes and Neeltje—Gerret.
Apr. 8. Wickoff, Jacobus and Catlyna—Cornelus.
Davoe(?), David and Sara—David.
Hofe, Abraham and Naltje—Fransyntje.
Hogaland, Hendrick and Yanete—Marya.
22. Williamson, Gerret and Geertje—Cornelius.
May 5. Wickoff, Peter and Bregje—Elisebet.
Van Deventer, Yacobus and Elisebet—Jacobus.
Furt, Tomis and Catryntje—Neeltje.
27. Vanlue, John and Doritie—Danise.
Striker, Barant and Elesabet—Cornelus.
June 3. Homes, Obedia and Maryya—Isack.
11. Hogelant, Dearrek and Martha—Abraham.
24. Van Arsdalen, Jurrey and Aeltei—Heyltea.
Wellemsen, Yacobus and Marya—Sarte.
Crosen, Derrick and Elisabet—Derrik.
July 8. Van Palt, Yon and Catrina—Elsye.
Van Pelt, Tunes and Yanatje—Trintye.
22. Cornell, Cornelus and Elisebit—Anneye.
Wellimson, Wellim and Annaetye—Johannes.
Aug. 19. Stootoof, Johannes and Sartye—Elbert.
Sept. 2. Merel, Roger and Sara—Reahel.
Nov. 4. Gulick, Jogum and Corneleya—Jogom.
Van Palt, Jan and Marigitye—Art.
18. Dahort, Hendrick and Maryya—Cornelus.
Dec. 2. Grounendick, Johannes and Sara—Jacob.
Gulick, Johannes and Lametje—Jogom.
16. Gulick, Fernendes and Lenje—Abraham.
Hagemen, Benjemen and Gerje—Petrus.
Covert, Johannes and Martha—Martha.
25. Vaghten, Garret and Lisabet—Neclas.
30. Pommey, Peter and Eyda—Enne.

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Jan. 20. Manly, John and Garthe—Anne.
Feb. 3. Hogelant, Christoffel and Sara—Chrestoffel.
Vandyck, Jan and Garty(?)—Catryna.
Vandervere, Peter and Yanatye—Luykas.
Folkersen, Phillip and Enne—Marya.
17. Cortelyou, Hendrick and Anny(?)—Jakas.
Mar. 3. Quick, Abraham and Maghtel—Reyners.
Apr. 8. Boorem, Cornelius and Neltje—Antye.
21. Voorhees, Cornelus and Magdelena—Cornelius.
Hogelant, Hondrick and Marya—Annatye.
Stolts, Engel and Esena—Johannes.

May 6. Frie, John and Anne—Harodeya.
16. Cornell, Cornelius and Mariya—Mariya.
24. Detmas, Jan and Gertye—Douwe.
June 2. Kreusen, Hendrick and Elzabeth—Alexander Lukas.
16. Arsdalen, Christopher and Catryna—Handrik.
Buren, Jan and Sartye—Jan.
30. Garritson, Stephen and Femmetye—Abraham.
Aug. 4. Sedam, Jacob and Antye—Antye.
Melger, Fradrick and Catrina—Johannes.
Harden, Mare—Marcreta.
Voorhees, Abraham and Marya—Gertye and Jagues.
Van Arsdalen, Cornelus and Catelyna—Jacobus.
Sept. 8. Maselar, Jacobus and Janatje—Jacob.
Van Klef, Johannes and Maitye—Johnna.
Sudam, Jacobus and Marya—Johannes.
Semson, Abraham and Maragritye—Maregretye.
22. Blaw, Peter and Marya—Johnnes.
Snedeker, Jan and Sara—Lamatye.
Oct. 6. Terhunen, Albert and Marya—Albert.
Booram, Necolas—Elisabet.
20. Suydam, Petrus and Femmetje—Lawrence.
Jorkse, Peter and Annatje—Maria.
Nov. 10. Hagemen, Symon and Altye—Gartye.
Manly, Tommes and Yanetye—Gertye.
Van Klef, Juryes and Eyda—Annatye.
Wedel, Robert and Mery—Mery.
Van Ostrant, Johannes and Enne—Eva.
Nov. 24. Bennet, Aarie and Jannetje—Jannetje.
Dec. 8. Gulick, Samuel and Marya—Gertye.
Cortelyou, Albert and Lena—Catrena.

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Jan. 24. Van Dick, Matise and Neltye—Sara.
V. Luew, Cornelus and Antye—Antje.
Feb. 9. Vaghte, John and Catrina—Catrina.
Van Dervere, Jan and Sythe—Hendrik.
Van Dorn, Jan and Marritje—Willim.
23. Snedeker, Jacob and Catelinthe—Catelynthe.
Mar. 9. Stootoff, Petrus and Antye—Caterna.
Willimson, Samuel and Marigritye—Mayeke.
Furt, Thomes and Catrina—Mari.
Apr. 4. Speder, Johannes and Antenette—Antenette.
6. Gulick, Jogom and Rabeke—Hendrik.
Homs, Obediea and Mere—Elesebet.
20. Striker, Jan and Catrina—Jan.
Pumye, Peter and Eyda—Eyda.
Van Arsdalen, Okey and Marya—Marya.
Van Arsdalen, Lamotye—Jacob.
May 20. Sutfin, Williem and Wina—Williem.
Bergen Hendrick and Cornelya—Anna.
June 7. Kinney, Symon and Maregreity—Johannis.

July 6. Vliet, Geertje, wife of Daniel—Abraham.
Voorhees, Jaques and Nellye—Altye.
13. Van Derveer, Petrus and Yanatye—Gerrit.
20. Probesco, Jan and Dina—Mattye.
Striker, Barent and Elesebet—Barent.
Van Pelt, Tunes and Yanatye—Yanatye.
Streble(?), Frans and Peshin—Hendrick.
Slover, Dennel and Gertye—Leya.
Van Pelt, Jan and Catrena—Jan.
Aug. 31. Hogeland, Johannes and Mattye—Cornelus.
Sept. 14. Hogeland, Christoffel and Sara—Helena.
28. Van Tine, Samuel and Marya—Isak.
Edder, Symon and Nelley—Richerd.
Dehart, Hendrick and Mooya—Machdelena.
Oct. 19. Wickoff, Symon and Altye—Marya.
Nov. 16. Crosen, Derrick and Elesabet—Jacobus.
30. Tymes(?), Johnnes and Altye—Neltye.
Symonsen, Jon and Catlyna—Catlyna.

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Jan. 4. Lake, Jacobus and Areyantye—Aeltye.
Gulick, Johannis and Lamentye—Catryna.
18. Cornell, Cornelus and Willyimtye—Janatye.
Feb. 1. Borem, Cornelus and Nelley—Gertye.
Powelson, Powel and Lena—Cornelus.
Williemsen, Jacobus and Mary—Josep.
15. Cortelyou, Hendrick and Annaty—Sara.
Williemsen, Williem and Angenetye—Jorys.
Mar. 1. Gulick, Johnnes and Lena—Eva.
Apr. 12. Hagemen, Benyemen and Gerty—Marya.
16. Wickoff, Jacob and Angenity—Marygrity.
Piett(?), Jan and Janatye—John.
Willisem, Peter and Catrytye—Janaty.
May 10. Langstrat, Eron and Anne—Cate; George.
28. Menley, Thomas and Janatye—John.
Aug. 8. Wilkens, Obediah and Sara—Meathem.
Gulick, Jacobus and Marya—Isack.
23. Stolts, Engel and Essina—Thomas.
Sept. 6. Menley, John and Gertye—Neltye.
Gulick, Jogom and Cornelya—Willim.
Dehart, Peter and Gerritye—Johnnis.
Stribly, Frans(?) and Pashans—Sara.
Stryker, John and Catrena—Dyna.
20. Voorhees, Abraham and Maria—Ida.
Voorhees, Johannes and Neeltje—Jacobus.
Oct. 25. Covert, John and Martha—Yannathe.
Van Dyck, Jan and Gerrity—Sara.
Sudam, Jacobus and Marya—Petrus.
Voorheese, Jan and Willymtye—Yanathe.
Nov. 22. Voorhees, Jaques and Neeltje—Abraham.
Dec. 6. Wickoff, Piter and Jacamyntye—Cornelus.

Van Buren, Jan and Sara—Annatye.
6. Jonsen, Peter and Rabeca—Peter.
20. Terhune, Albert and Maria—Elizabeth.
Fry, Anna, wife of John—Abigail.
26. Janse, Barent and Elizabeth—Nicolas.

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Jan. 10. Cortelyou, Harmanus and Catharina—Hendrick.
24. Pumyea, Peter and Ida—Peter.
Voorhees, Lucas and Neltye—Teunes?
Feb. 7. Gerritsen, Samuell and Janatye—Samuel.
Slover, Dannel and Gertye—Marya.
21. Furt, Thomes and Catrena—Jogom.
Mar. 6. Gerritsen, Rem and Mercy—Mercy.
20. Bergen, Hendrick and Cornelya—Johannes.
Apr. 10. Vaghte, John and Caty—Ares.
May 8. Quick, Abraham and Maghteltye—Antye.
Eddis, Sime and Nelley—Daniel.
Van Arsdalen, Cornelius and Catlintye—Abraham; Isaac.
Snedecar, Jacob and Catlyntye—Maria.
20. Kinney, Symon and Marigrety—Abraham.
June 12. Van Leuwe, Hendrik and Marygrety—Jacobus.
July 10. Van Luev, Denice and Eyda—Eyda.
Semson, Abraham and Mregaty—Tomas.
Aug. 20. Snedeker, Isack and Sara—Anna.
Sept. 2. Borem, Cornelus and Nelley—Johonnes.
18. Van Pelt, Jan and Catrytye—Nellye.
Willisen(?), Samuel and Maregratye—Antye.
Boorem, Necolas and Janatye—Sara.
Oct. 2. Dehart, Cornelius and Maria—Jacameyntje.
Hollenshead, Angenitye, wife of John—Sarah.
16. Wickoff, Symon and Altye—Sara.
Nov. 6. Gulick, Samuel and Marya—Jacob.
Yorks, Peter and Annatye—Gertye.
Gulick, Johannes and Lamatye—Cornelus.
Borckelow, Conrat and Sartye—Enney.
Van Cleaf, Juryas and Eyda—Eyda.

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Jan. 15. Dehert, Hendrick and Marytje—Jacamyntye.
Menley, Thomese and Janatye—Henniry(?).
Cortelyou, Hendrick and Anna—Albert; Petrus (twins).
29. Blaw, John and Trynty—Altye.
Mar. 12. Van Pelt, Peter and Marya—Marya.
26. Sperling, John and Catryna—Rabeca.
Hegeman, Benyemen and Gertye—Gertye.
May 14. Van Dorne, Petrus and Janatye—Jeramyas.
Snediker, Jan and Sara—Wellem.
June 3. Hegeman, Symon and Aaltje—Elizabeth.
4. Witlok, John and Aaltje—Sarah.
Gulick, Johannes and Lenah—Petrus.
Johnson, William and Elizabeth—Antie.

Vreest, Peter and Geertje—Antje; Johannes.
Slover, Jacob and Geertje—Abraham.
Aug. 27. Van Leuwen, Jan and Dorithy—Antje.
Terhune, Gerret and Neeltje—Neeltje.
Stryker, Jan and Catharina—Luykas.
Sept. 10. Williamse, Peter and Catharintje Brouwer—Wilhelmus.
Voorhees, Jan and Willemje—Cornelius.
Oct. 15. Hogelant, Christofel and Sara—Lucas.
28. Rubert, Johannes and Cornelia Slover—Mara Elizabeth.
Slover, Daniel and Geertje Gulick—Isaac.
Nov. 12. Pomyea, Peter and Ida Suydam—Sarah.
Dec. 10. Menly, John and Gertye—John.
24. Cornel, Cornelus and Willyemtye—Altye.

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Jan. 14. Terhune, Albert and Maria—Gerret.
28. Sedam, Jacobus and Maria—Ryk.
Van Tien, Samuel and Maria—Maria.
Feb. 11. Nevius, Albert and Neeltje—David.
Boorem, Cornelus and Neltje—Eliesabet.
25. Willemsen, Willem and Angenithe—Antia.
Mar. 25. Kinney, Symon and Maregraty—Lea.
Willemson, Jacobus and Maria—Winte.
Miserol, Barent and Antje—Jonatan.
Apr. 8. Stolts, Engel and Essina—Petrus.
Piett, Jan and Janatye—Fransynta.
Berjen, Hendrick and Cornelia—Garritya.
May 6. Gerrise, Steven and Femete—Petrus.
24. Stryker, Jacobus and Catrina—Petrus.
Hollenshead, Angenitye Yurcks, wife of John—Peter.
27. Piett, Abraham and Anne—Cattrin.
July 22. Van Dyk, Jan and Maria—Mattheus.
Gerrisen, Rem and Maria—Gerrit.
Sept. 2. Probasco, Gerrit and Mayke—Rebacka.
23. Voorhees, Abraham and Maria—Nelley.
Jansen, Barent and Eliesabet—Jan.
Snedeker, Isack and Sara—Jacob.
Oct. 14. Hagemen, Bengemen and Gertye—Janetye.
Furt, Thomes and Catrena—Marget.
28. Johnson, William and Eliesabet—Marten.
Nov. 18. Quick, Abraham—Hendrick.
Van Arsdawlen, Cornelus and Catlintye—Catrina.
Deremer, Abraham and Neltye—Patries.
Dec. 2. Cortelyou, Harmans, and Catharina—Antje.
16. Terhune, Gerret and Neltye—Marrity.
Berkelow, Conrat and Sartye—Dannel.
Groenendyk, Sammel and Lenah—Christoffel.
—Gulick, Johannes and Lamaty—Antje.
— 30. Vankleef, Benyemen and Eva—Joseph.

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Jan. 6. Wicoff, Peter and Gerrebregh—Catryna.

Mar. 3. Nevius, Peter and Adriantie—David.
31. Jeurksen, Peter and Annatie—Hendrick.
Apr. 7. Hogelant, Elbert and Johanna—Sara.
Leinse, Daniel and Antie—Sara.
May 19. Van Cleif, Vreyes and Eyda—Ram.
June 9. Slover, Jacob and Rebecca—Derreck.
Boorem, Necoles and Jannytie—Joseph.
23. Slover, Daniel and Ghearte—Jacobes.
Dhyetmast, Peter and Merreghriette—Peter.
July 7. Hartman, Phillep and Marya—William.
Aug. 4. Van Voorhies, Johannes and Nicalthie—Daniel.
Van Deyk, John and Lena—Catriena.
18. Dehart, Hendrick and Maryia—Maghdelena.
Reubaart, Johannes and Cornelyiea—Maryghriete.
Ghrieghs, Samuel and Jannyete—Maryia.
Phyalhersen, Phyeliph and Anna—Dhyerick.
Sept. 29. Pummy, Peter and Eyda—Johannes.
Van Voorhyes, John and Wilmte—Isaac.
Gulick, Johannes and Helena—Jonnete.
Oct. 13. Vandeveer, Peter and Jonnete—Innete(?)
Van Liew, Denyis and Eyda—Dyna.
Gulick, Abraham and Elyesabet—Cornelyia.
Nov. 10. Sedam, Peter and Femmete—Peter.
Bercaleo, Wellem and Jacameinte—Ferntown.
24. Sedam, Abraham and Jonnate—Maryia.
Sthryker, Jacobus and Catriena—Aryian.
Dec. 26. Brown, Matthews and Hana—Andriew.

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Jan. 25. Barcalo, Hendrick and Leana—Daniel.
Feb. 2. Crusen, John and Blandiena—Ceteryena.
Blandiena, Andrew and Theyn—Chrystyiane.
16. Van Buren, John and Sara—Derryck.
Hogelant, Chresstoffel and Sara—Isaac.
Mar. 1. Peyat, Abraham and Anthie—Fransynthie.
15. Berrien, Hendrick and Cornelya—Elyesabet.
Wycoff, Symon and Aulthye—Peter.
Apr. 17. Dehart, Cornelius and Marya—Cornelyus.
Wykof, Peter and Jacomynte—Peternellete.
19. Terhunen, Albert and Marya—Isaac.
26. Van Deventer, Jacobus and Liesabet—Lyesabet.
May 10. Slover, Jacob and Gerrite—Saartje.
31. Hallenset, Angeniete Jurksen, wife of John—Neente.
June 28. Queck, Abraham and Gerrete—Jacob.
Lentener, Andrew and Cureynte—Antye.
July 19. Hegeman, Benjemen and Geertje—Jon.
Aug. 2. Menley, John and Geerte—Deyna.
Leinse, Danyel and Antje—Wiellemte.
Snedeker, Isaac and Sara—Femmete.
16. Welmsen, Jacobes and Maryja—Corneljus.
Nevius, Pettres, and Addrejana—Gerret.

Oct. 11. Feurt, Thamme and Cethe—Jacamynte.
Ghrjendyk, Samuel and Leena—Moyche.
Edders, Symon and Nelle—Marya.
26. Cortelyou, Hendrick and Johanna—Johannes.
Guljck, Johannes and Lammete—Samuel.
Nov. 15. Hogelant, Elbert and Johanna—Abraham.
~~Schetven~~ [Sutphen], Gheysbert and Ghjeerte—Aart.
Dehart, Peter and Phegge—Corneljus.
Dec. 6. Van Voorhjes, Abraham and Maria—Marya.
Berculo, Coen and Sara—Hendrick.
Blouw, John and Catrejnte—Aalte.
Beart, Welm and Hanna—Alexander.
27. Pejet, John and Jonnjte—Wellem.

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Jan. 1. Wetlock, Jacobus and Jonnyta—Deryck.
17. Grjgs, Samuel and Jannete—Samuel.
Van Liew, Hendrjck and Eata—Mareyte.
Sedam, Abraham and Jannete—Joseph.
Croesen, John and Brandena—Derreck.
Feb. 28. Gulick, Samuel and Marjja—Johannes.
Terhunen, Gerret and Njelte—Aalte.
Vandeveer, Peter and Jnnete—Maryia.
Mar. 28. Dehart, Welhelmes and Antie—Catreinte.
Apr. 25. Meserol, Barent and Antje—Femmetje.
May 9. Sedam, Jacobus and Marya—Jannette.
Hartman, Fillip and Maryria—Rachel.
28. Johnson, Barent and Elesabet—Petres.
30. Cornel, Corneljus and Wellemte—Jonnete.
June 6. Cortelyou, Harmanus and Catreinte—Cotriena.
Schenk, Johnns Jr. and Anne—Anne. Witness; Peter Schenk.
18. Hogelant, Chrisstophel and Sara—Jacob.
Bercalo, Hendrick and Lena—Daniel.
Slover, Jacob and Rebecca—Maryya.
Pyejet, Abraham and Enne—Elyesebet.
Jonsen, Willyem and Eliesebet—Antye.
Van Clieaf, Benieman and Eva—Eva.
Aug. 2. Snedeker, Jon and Sara—Catriena.
4. Gulick, Johannes and Helena—Cornelius.
16. Van Voorhies, John and Willimtye—Abraham.
Hegemen, Symon and Aalte—Aaltie.
[Also a Benjamin. Not plain in the original whether this child is Gulick's or Hegeman's].
Oct. 24. Van Voorhees, Jacob and Saarte—Catriente.
Nov. 7. Mjsereul, John and Eljsebet—Peter.
Hegeman, Beniamen and Geertye—Symon.
Bercalo, Willem and Jacameynte—Cornelius.
Reubcart, Johannes and Cornelya—Pethries.
21. Wicuf, Jochum and Johana—Jacobus.

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Jan. 16. Van Dike, Fernandes and Aaltie—Marregriete.
Stryker, John and Catriena—Frederick.
Vandeveer, Gerret and Elesebet?—Mary.
30. Dehart, Hendrick and Mareyte—Vryai.
Ditmas, John and Gerte—Griete.
Creytres(?), Henry and Catrien—Lena.
Feb. 13. Vliet, Symon and Antje—Jan.
Manliys, Jon and Geertye—John.
Apr 10. Quick, Abraham and Gerritie—Abraham.
Snedecar, Isaack and Sara—Abraham.
24. Bennet, Abraham and Jannate—Femmete.
May 20. Phreyn, Jacobus and Annate—Johannes.
Brouw, Mattewes and Hanna—Mery.
22. Gulick, Abraham and Bette—Maryya.
June 19. Weycoff, Gerret and Sara—Abraham.
July 1. Nevius, Albert and Nellje—Margrietje.
Groendyk, Samuel and Leana—Samuel.
3. Weycoff, Pethres and Jacamsinte—Peter.
17. Vanderveer, Jon and Jonnetje—Jon.
Manley, Richart and Marya—John.
Aug. 14. Terhunen, Albert and Marya—Jacob.
Hollenset, Anganiete, wife of Jon—Annate.
Sept. 25. Pomye, Peter and Ejda—Mergriet.
Oct. 23. Yeorcksen, Peter and Annate—Leeja.
Lentenner, Andrjew and Tein—Johannes.
Nov. 6. Nevius, Petros and Addrejaante—Petrus.
Setven, Geysbert and Geerte—Jannete.
20. Dehart, Peter and Pegge—Hendrick.
Dec. 4. Nevius, Petrus and Jenneke Stoothoff—Johanes.
Suydam, Abraham and Jannetje Voorhees—Anne.
18. Hogelendt, Elbert and Johanna—Johannis; Elbert.

1775.

Jan. 1. Cortelyou, Hendrick Jr. and Johanna—Harmanes.
15. Van Dike, Jon and Lena—Antie.
29. Sedam, Jacobus and Marya—Joseph.
Feb. 12. Dehart, Jacobus and Antie—Geisbert.
Dehart, Cornelius and Eyda—Catreinte.
26. Bercalo, Coen and Sary?—John.
Jonson, Barent and Bette—Petres.
Van Pelt, Jacob and Marya—John.
Mar. 12. Vandoren, Isaac and Selle—William.
Wicoff, Jochem and Annate—Petres.
26. Neevius, Martyn and Ann—Annate; Abraham. Witnesses: Hendrick Cortelyou and Cotriena.
Apr. 9. Rechmyre, Jerry and Weinte—Femmete.
Wetlock, Jacobus and Jannate—John.
Van Cleef, Eva—Cattleinte.
23. Slover, Daniel and Geerte—Geerte.
Pejet, Abraham and Enne—Jacob.

May 7. Terhunen, Gerret and Neelte—Johannes.
June 18. Hogelant, Chrisstoffel and Sara—Abraham.
July 16. Feurt, Thomas and Catreinte—Catreinte.
Aug. 13. Gulick, Johannes and Leena—Johannes.
Kreitsen, Henry and Catriena—Hendrick.
Slover, Jacob and Rebecka—Daniel.
Bercalo, Willem and Jacameinte—Mareyia.
Van Liew, Hendrick and Margriette—Hendrick.
27. Wicof, Simon and Aalte—Jacob.
Edders, Simon and Nelle—Sara.
Hartman, Philip and Palle—Peter.
Oct. 8. Bercalo, Hendrick and Lena—Marya.
22. Brieas, Annate—Marya, Witness: Wellem Welmsen.
Dec. 17. Cock, John and Doorte—William.

1776.

Feb. 25. Voorhiesen, Jon and Welmtie—Johannes.
Mar. 11. Cortelyou, Harmanes and Teine—Catriente.
25. Beard, Wellem and Cateleinte—Willem.
Sperling, Joseph and Griete—Ecborts.
Apr. 7. Nevius, Martjnes and Saarte—Johanna.
8. Nevius, Petres, Jr., and Jeneca—Petres.
21. Menley, Ritchert and Marya—Lesebet.
May 5. Groendyke, Samel and Leena—Leena.
16. Hegeman, Benjamin and Geethie—Willm.
June 2. Peyeat, Jon and Jonnete—Jacob.
16. Van Leuwe, Johannes and Dorete—Hendrick.
Stryker, Jon and Catriena—Cneleia.
Meseral, Barent and Ante—Barent.
Meseral, Jan and Lesabet—John.
Wicoff, Petres and Jacaminte—Maryia.
16. Rubaart, Johannes and Catrien—Jacob.
30. Robberson, James and Caterine—Harregriete.
Quick, Abraham and Gerrete—Marregriete.
Vanheis, Welhelmus and Annate—Moycae.
Aug. 11. Nevious, Albert and Nelle—Neelthie.
Merrel, William and Elisabet—John.
Van Lewen, Cornelious and Maria—Denys.
25. Reynold, John and Catharina—Margery.
Gulick, Samuel and Maria Quick—Maria.
Laan, Jan and Lenah Johnson—Jan.
Sept. 22. Dehart, Jacobes and Antie—Cornelius.
Oct. 20. Vandevear, Peter and Jannete—Catriena.
Jansen, Marta and Syte—Joseph.
Nov. 3. Pomye, Peter and Syte—Ledeja.
Slover, Jacob and Geerte—Jacob.
24. Peiett, Abraham and Enne—Abraham.
Gulick, Peter and Gerrete—Jocom.

1777.

Mar. 9. Deremer, Derrick and Barbara Gosen—Jacob.
16. Terhunen, Gerret and Nelle—Abraham.

Cock, Hendrick and Jannete—Cornelya.
Gulick, Abraham and Bette—Marya.
Nevius, Petres and Addreiana—Johannes.
23. Cortelyou, Hendrick and Annate—Antie.
Dehart, Peter and Pegge—Gerrete.
Hallenhed, Angeniete Jorcksen, wife of John—Daniel.
30. Sedom, Abraham and Yannathe—Patris.
Apr. 13. Vandevare, John and Yannathe—Peter.
20. Sadom, Jacob and Saurchy—Jacob.
May 11. Criser, Hannery and Catriena—Hendrick.
Manley, John and Geertyes—Richard; Saurchy.
July 20. Willimsen, Somwill and Morrigriet—John.
Van Nosestront, Addriaune and Lanaw—Isaac.
Aug. 31. Vandoren, Jacob and Yonnache—Yonnacha.
Sept. 14. Gulick, John and Lanaw—Marya.
Nov. 9. Slover, Daniel and Geertye—Daniel.
Barrinkloe, Coonrode and Sarah—Farrington.
Dec. 21. Beert, Wellem and Catlina—Chrisstophel.
Lot, Abraham and Mary—Jurry.
Provoost, Davit and Lesebet—Marrya.

1778.

Jan. 18. Van Aarsdalen, Antie—Antie.
Mar. 1. Edders, Simon and Nelle—Daniel.
Apr. 12. Peyet, William and Jacaminte—John.
Witlock, James and Jannete—Arreiaante.
Bennet, Hendrick and Enne—Sara.
Cleindennes, Annate, wife of Isack—Catriena.
May 10. Van Doorn, Abraham and Annatje Van Diek—Jacob.
June 7. Queck, Abraham and Gerrete—Ante.
Voorhees, Gerret and Marrete—Leena.
July 5. Cock, Jon and Doorte—Marya.
Aug. 2. Wicoff, Symon and Aalte—Simon.
15. Menley, Rechert and Marya—Rechert.
30. Wicoff, Petrus and Jacomantie—Sara.
Beekman, Abraham and Anne—Gerardus.
Spencer, John (unbaptized) and Annatie—Joachim.
Sept. 13. Cortelyou, Hendrick and Johanna—The Second Jaques.
25. Peiet, Jan and Jannete Willemsen—Wellem.
Oct. 21. Snedeker, Jan and Sara Wellemson—Maria.
Griggs, Samuel and Jannete Williamson—Margritje.
Nicksen, Thomas and Elesebet Randel—Isaac.
Nov. 8. Gronendick, Samuel and Lena Probasco—Johannes.
Hartman, Phellyp and Pally Donnesen—Abraham.
12. Hegemen, Andries and Rachel—Peter.
22. Brown, Helena, wife of W. B.—Wellem, Witnesses: Hendrick Cortelyou and Ante Stootoff.
Bergen, Jacob and Tunte—Aron.
Dec. 20. Ven Deyk, Hendrick and Elisebeth—Marya.
27. Jonsen, Barent and Elisebeth—Abraham.

1779.

Jan. 24. Van Liew, Jan and Doorte—Cornelius.
Van Liew, Cornelius and Marya—Aalte.
Feb. 7. Voorhees, Rem and Hellete—Jan.
Pomyea, Peter and Idaugh—Elisebeth.
Vaghte, Johannes and Palle—Elesebeth.
21. Hogelandt, Elbert and Johanna—Elbert.
Mar. 21. Cortelyou, Harmanes and Catrina—Simon.
Apr. 4. Slover, Daniel and Geerte—Leucrese.
12. Sperling, Joseph and Maregreta—Sara.
Guest, John and Sara—Mary.
18. Van Deyk, Jermey and Lamethie—Jannethie.
May 2. Dehart, Jacobus and Antye—Jacobus.
Gro—, Samuel and Altye—Elisabet.
16. Gilbert, Aaron and Antenettes—Wellem.
30. Beckmen, James and Sarke—Elesabet.
June 27. Dehart, Hendrick and Marya—Anna.
Beert, Wellem and Catlina—Annate.
July 11. Gulick, Johannes and Elesabet—Cornelea.
Ledenbur, Peter and Catrena—Gabreel.
25. Stoothoff, Petrus and Anthie—Johanna.
Van Klef, Isack and Dorkes—Jacohb.
Aug. 8. Slover, Jacob and Rebeca—Abrham.
Terhune, Gerrit and Nelley—Cornelus.
22. Voorhees, John and Willity—Willity.
Sept. 19. Dehart, Peter and Margretye—Jacob.
Voorheess, Isaac and Yanatye—Gerty.
Hegeman, Adreyan and Fonsyntje—Gertey.
Oct. 15. Smit, Jacob and Janatey—Marya.
Nov. 28. V. Lieuw, Fradrick and Gerritye—Elshe.
Hagemen, Benyemen and Sara—Isaac.
Dec. 9. Bergen, Jacob and Tunye—Mateus.

1780.

Jan. 9. Hollinghead, John and Net—Cotrena.
23. Rynesen, Borrent and Sarhar—Elsye.
Bennet, Hendryck and Enney—Adryane.
Hartog, Engelbort and Enney—Dyna.
Feb. 6. Backman, Abraham and Antey—Nelley.
Done, Jonathan and Neltey—John Prine.
Vandervear, Jan and Janatey—Marya.
Van Ostrand, Adryane and Lena—Folkert.
Van Cleefe, Mikel and Yonaty—Femmitey.
6. Menley, Jon and Cerrytey—Adryane.
Pervost, David and Mercy—Jonethan.
Wodue, Angenety—Janaty.
Brown, Mat and Hanney—Janaty.
Hanna (No names of parents given).
Feb. 20. Piatt, Abram and Enney—Margret.
Mar. 5. Quyck, Abraham and Genithe—Johennes.
Hagemen, Andries and Ragil—Lesabet.

27. Sudam, Jacobes and Marya—Jacob.
Apr. 2. Lott, Abraham and Marya—Sara.
16. Sutphin, Ryck and Marya—Annatye.
Barcklow, Handrick and Lena—Handrick.
30. V. Dick, Handrick and Elesebet—Symon.
Dreyer, Fradrick and Gertye—Cobus.
May 14. Kinney, Jacobus and Sara—Symon.
June 25. Voorhees, Gerret and Marrytie—Nelte.
Bouer, John and Hanna—Johannes.
Groves, Samuel and Altye—Hanny or Harry.
Croysen, Harry and Catrina—Peter.
Furt, Benymen and Mary—Jacobus.
July 27. Merrel, William and Elesabet—Sara.
Aug. 20. Vaghte, Johannes and Marya—Gerret.
Oct. 1. Van Dorn, Abraham and Antye—Johannes.
Wicklock, James and Yonaty—James.
Cryson, John and Antey—Johannes.
15. Menley, Richerd and Marey—Mercy or Meraj.
29. Hunneman, John and Mary—Sara.
Nevius, Petrus and Janeka—Elbert.
Nov. 12. Cortelyou, Handrick and Annatye—Abraham.
1781.
Feb. 8. Symonsen, Cornelus and Marya—Lana.
Cock, John and Dortey—John.
Voorhees, Abraham and Elsha—Luycas.
Beackman, James and Sara—Alshe.
Mar. 4. Bert, William and Catelyna—William.
Van Arsdalen, Roluf and Lena—Altye.
18. Slover, Daniel and Gertye—Sytye.
Sperling, Joship and Marggretie—Joannes.
Griggs, Samuel and Janatye—Samuel.
Apr. 1. Bruer, Peter and Pegey—Anne.
Cock, Jacb and Abbegel—William.
Terhune, Gerret and Nelley—Gerret. [This bapt. dated Mar. 32].
15. Cock, Harry and Janathe—Harry.
28. V. Dorn, Jacob and Janatye—Halena.
29. Eddis, Symon and Nelly—John.
—Gulick, Joannes and Elesabet—Elesabet.
May 13. V. Luew, Hendrick and Margretye—Janatye.
Hageland, Albert and Annatye—Jahnna.
Furt, Hennyry and Anney—Thomes.
Voorheese, Johannes and Katy—Lena.
Cornell, Peter and Nelley—Cornelus.
Pevost, Davit and Marya—Merey or Mercy; Betsey.
V. Dick, Fradrick and Lydia—John.
Cornelius, Elesabet—Margriet
27. Nevies, Albert and Neltye—Petrus.
June 24. Slover, Jacob and Rebeco—Isaac.
July 2. Dehaert, Hendrick and Marya—Hendrick.

7. Vaghte, Johannes and Polley—William.
Meshroll, Borrent and Antye—Antye.
8. Cortelyow, Harmanus and Catryna—Jaques.
22. Rogher, Henry and Sary—John.
Aug. 5. Wickoff, Jogom and Annatye—Annatye.
20. Dehart, Jacobus and Antye—Abraham.
Sept. 30. Witlock, William and Cartye—John.
Sutfin, James and Alesebet—Janme.
Dilling, Peter and Mary—Isaac.
Willemson, Handrick and Anney—Isaac.
Dec. 9. Hagemen, Bengemen and Sara—Gertye.
23. Bergen, Jacob and Tunye—Mergret.

1782.

Jan. 6. More, Reynere and Catrena—Jan Roozen.
Feb. 17. Jonsten, Borrent and Elesabet—Borrent.
Mar. 3. V. Leewen, Johannes and Lena—Marya.
Sudam, Petrus and Sara—Abraham.
Voorhees, Rolef and Leena—Leena.
Bennet, Hendrick and Enney—William.
Apr. 1. Holenhid, John and Angenetye—John. (Entry date is Mar. 32).
Beckman, Abraham and Antye—Johannes.
V. Luew, Fradrick and Gerretye—Fradrick.
Vanderveer, Gerret and Sartye—Marya.
V. Arsdalen, Jurrey and Altye—Catelyntey.
July 7. Hartog, Engelbort and Enney—Handrick.
Highens, James and Leya—Jogom.
21. Wickoff, Gerret and Sara—Corneles.
Aug. 4. Quick, Abraham and Gerrithe—Petrus.
Hagemen, Aderiane and Fransyntye—Jacob.
Regtmir, Yurry and Wintye—Wynty.
Pumye, Peter and Eyda—Abraham.
Kenney, Jacobus and Sara—Catylina.
Sept. 15. Nevius, Davet and Lesabet—Petrus.
29. Van Luew, Cornelus and Marya—Symon.
Stryker, Jan and Elesabet—Peter.
Breas, Hendrick and Selley—Yemyma; Caty.
Crysen, Heyry and Caryna—John.
Oct. 13. Piatt, John and Janatye—Catlina.

[*To be Continued*]

HISTORICAL NOTES AND COMMENTS

BY THE EDITOR

The Leslie Tombstone at Pluckemin

Our frontispiece this month gives a view of the old Lutheran (now Presbyterian) church graveyard at Pluckemin, in order to show the Leslie tombstone. Capt. William Leslie was a brave British officer who fell

on the battlefield of Princeton, but, being found by Dr. Benjamin Rush of the American army, who knew well the Captain's father, the Earl of Leven, the Doctor persuaded Washington to have him taken along to Pluckemin, to see if his life could be saved. But that was a vain hope, as he died at or before reaching Pluckemin, and was buried there with military honors. An account of the burial and of Dr. Rush may be found in various publications (see, for example, Mellick's "Story of an Old Farm," pp. 385-387). The tombstone erected by Dr. Rush was supplanted, about 1836, with the present one, set up by Professor Ogilby, of Rutgers College, as the original was crumbling to pieces. The inscription, however, was reproduced, being as follows:

"In memory of the Hon. Captain William Leslie of the 17th British Regiment, son of the Earl of Leven in Scotland. He fell January 3d, 1777, aged 26 years, at the battle of Princeton. His friend, Benjamin Rush, M. D., of Philadelphia, caused this stone to be erected as a mark of his esteem for his worth, and respect for his noble family."

The Union League of the Civil War

Reference was made in a previous QUARTERLY (Vol. VII, p. 41) to the Union League in Somerset County during the Civil War, organized in 1864. Through the kindness of Historian Hiram E. Deats of the Hunterdon Historical Society we have received a copy of the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Council of the League, adopted in 1866, but no doubt following closely the Constitution and By-Laws earlier in use. Of chief interest to us, and probably to our readers, are the questions propounded "under obligation of secrecy," to applicants for membership at the initiation ceremonies, viz.:

"1st. Do you fully subscribe to the principles set forth in the Declaration of Independence?

"2nd. Do you acknowledge that your first and highest allegiance under God is due the Government of the United States of America?

"3rd. Will you pledge yourself to resist to the utmost of your ability, even to the sacrifice of your life, all attempts to subvert or overthrow the Government of the United States of America?

"4th. Will you strive to the extent of your ability for the maintenance of Liberty, the elevation of Labor, the education in the responsibilities and duties of American citizenship of all the people of this country; the practice of true brotherly charity toward each and all of the Order of which you are now to become a member, and for the election or appointment to all places of public trust of such men only as are reliable supporters of these principles and measures?

"5th. Do you hold and believe that Secession is Treason, and that the action of the Government of the United States in suppressing the late Rebellion was just and expedient?

"6th. Do you pledge your active support to such legislation, both

State and National, as will be effective in removing all the concomitants of Slavery?

"7th. Are you willing, and will you endeavor to extend to all men, the exercise of Equal Political Rights, who have Equal Political Responsibilities?

"8th. Are you willing, and do you desire to bind yourself by a solemn oath to the maintenance of the principles and policy indicated in the interrogatories to which you have now affirmatively replied?

"9th. Will you obey all Rules and Orders of the Union League of America, which shall not conflict with your lawful Rights and Privileges as a Loyal Citizen?"

After a prayer the room was darkened, the "Fire of Liberty" lighted, when the old members joined hands around the candidates and the "Altar," and, with the left hand on the national flag and the right on the Bible, etc., this obligation was taken:

OBLIGATION

"I [each repeating his own name]with an uplifted hand, in the presence of God and these witnesses, do solemnly swear [or affirm if conscientiously opposed] without mental reservation in me of any kind, that I will support, protect and defend the Constitution and Government of the United States of America, one and indivisible, and the flag thereof, against all enemies foreign and domestic; that I will vote only for and none but those, who advocate and support the great principles set forth by this League to fill any office of honor, profit or trust in either the State or General Government, and that if ever called to fill any office I will faithfully carry out the principles set forth by this League. And, further, that I will protect and defend all worthy members of the Union League of America; and that I will never in any manner or form divulge or make known to any person or persons not worthy members of this Organization any of the signs, pass-words, grips, proceedings, designs, debates or plans of this or any other Council of this Organization, unless when engaged in admitting new members, and with my right hand on the Holy Bible, Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States of America, I acknowledge myself firmly bound and pledged to the faithful performance of this my solemn obligation; so help me God."

In these days, when Americanism is beginning to be a vital question, it is well to look back and see what some of the solid men of a previous generation did after the Civil War; a war which, then, was the greatest America had ever known.

Permanent Gift of the "Racawachanna" Place

That enterprising Bound Brook lady, Miss Caroline B. LaMonte, has decided to make a gift of the famous LaMonte homestead at Bound Brook to the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey for an Old People's Home.

The LaMonte Family continued the name given the homestead by Col. Daniel Talmage, viz., "The Evergreens," but the original land owner, Thomas Codington, a New York merchant, gave to it the Indian name of "Racawachanna," meaning "the loamy flat by the running brook." The Codington land title dates back to May 4, 1681, when two Indian chiefs, Konachama and Qureromak, deeded to eight persons, including Codington, a large amount of land bordering on Bound Brook, Middlebrook, etc. Of this land Codington got, in 1783, 877 acres at Bound Brook and 1,000 acres near Chimney Rock. On the Bound Brook place he built a house, which is said to have been the first house built by a white owner in Somerset County. Codington is said to have sold his property in 1700 to an Aaron Larzadier, (or Louzada) in whose family it remained for nearly 100 years. A subsequent owner was Alexander Campbell, descendant of Lord Neil Campbell, who built a large addition to the original house, and resided in it until 1817. Dr. Samuel Swan and Thomas A. Hartwell were owners afterward. Daniel Talmage, father of Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, purchased the property and, in 1854, took down the entire building erected by Codington, removed slightly the Campbell addition, and added to the south part a new house, so that none of the original Codington building remains, but the site of the present house is still on the original Codington site. In all it is said there have been twenty-one owners of the property since 1681. We regret not to find a view of the house as taken down in 1854. In connection with this subject the article given in the next department of this issue (Department of Notes and Queries, under No. 196) will have some interest, especially for our Bound Brook readers.

Contributions to Bedminster Church, 1801-6

Among the preserved Andrew D. Mellick, Jr., papers is a list of collections from 1801 to 1806 of salary payments to the Bedminster church, made by Peter Sutphen (b. 1762; d. 1839), grandfather to the late Arthur P. Sutphen, of Somerville, and a deacon of the church during that period. The amounts paid ran from 50 cents to $15, the higher sum being paid annually by James Van Derveer. The following are the names who paid:

Peter Sutphen, Cornelius Powelson, John Demund, William Smith, Johannes Voorhees, Albert Nevius, Joseph Nevius, Jacob Voorhees, James Young, Edward Demund, John Fleet, Abraham Fleet, John Hageman, Simon Hageman, John Bryan, Esq., David Nevius, Guisbert Van Doren, Betsey Auble, Robert Chapman, Levy Sutton, Cornelius Suydam, Henry Stephens, Jacob Van Dorn, Cornelius Messler, Widow Nevius, John Van Duyn, Peter Lane, Matthias Lane, Eleanor Blair, Cornelius Messler, Jr.

There was also received, about 1804, by Mr. Sutphen, $103.25 "on the Fund," from the following:

John Best, John Wicoff, Peter Lane, Simon Hageman, Matthias Lane, Eleanor Blair, John D. Van Duyn, James Van Derveer (highest, $50), Jacob Van Dorn, Jr., John Hageman, Andrew Wortman, John M. Powelson, Henry Stephens, Elijah Stevens, Jacob Voorhees, Charles Van Tine.

DEPARTMENT OF NOTES AND QUERIES

[191]. "JUSTICES OF THE QUORUM."—In the "Somerset Civil List," as printed in the January and April QUARTERLY, there frequently appeared the designation "Justice of the Quorum," after the name of a Justice of the Peace. We are indebted to the President of our Society, Mr. Justice Bergen, for the following explanation of the term: "According to Blackstone all of the Justices of the Peace in England were appointed for the county in one commission, with power to keep the peace, etc., but a portion were especially named to act in cases of felonies and misdemeanors; or, rather, no action could be taken in such cases without the presence of one of the Justices so designated, and they were called 'Justices of the Quorum.' Persons so appointed were supposed to be of the better class and with some superior learning and versed in legal practices. It is now obsolete and has not been observed in this country since the Revolutionary War."

[192]. FIRST TREASURER OF SOMERSET.—"Your 'Somerset Civil List' puts me in mind of the fact that John Inian was the first Treasurer of Somerset County, 1688, when the County was first set off; spelled often 'Injoines.'" W. H. B. (New Brunswick, N. J.).

[The "Civil List" as published did not note the foregoing, not being found (unless overlooked) in the book of early "Commissions" at Trenton. It is well, however, to have the fact stated.—EDITOR].

[193]. BOYLAN-HODGE—"Referring to Capt. John Boylan, of Pluckemin, who m. Eleanor Hodge (see QUARTERLY for April, 1917, pp. 101, 104, etc.), who were my great-great-grandparents, a correction is necessary, and I am sending you other data including the correction. I had always heard that they had fourteen children; however, they may have had fifteen, and one of the daughters may have been named Eleanor, but the Eleanor that you list (top of p. 107) as having married John T. West and moved to Raleigh, N. C., was not the daughter of John Boylan and Eleanor Hodge but their granddaughter. She was the daughter of John Boylan's daughter Margaret Boylan, who married James Shaw.

Margaret Boylan (daughter of John and Eleanor Boylan) m. James Shaw. They had six ch.: 1. Dr. James Boylan Shaw. 2. Eliza; m. a Webster. 3. Jane; m. Rev. Dr. Wyncoop. 4. William Shaw. 5. John Shaw, who was in the U. S. Navy and lost at sea. 6. Eleanor Shaw, who m. John T. West in 1832 and d. in 1881. They removed to Raleigh, N. C.

John T. West and Eleanor Shaw had four children:

1. Margaret Shaw West, b.1833; d.1912; unm.

2. Nicholas William West, b. 1837; m., 1875, Elizabeth Blake. He is now living in Raleigh, N. C., at the age of 82. He served through the entire Civil War as a Confederate soldier with Manley's Battery. He was a successful merchant, retiring from business about 25 years ago. Had 7 ch.: (a) John T. West, b. 1876; m. Edith Bean, of Pennsylvania, in 1909; now living in Raleigh. (b) Thomas B. West, b. 1877; lives in Raleigh. (c) Mary Lucretia West, b. 1880; m. James Litchford in 1902. He died and in 1915 she married Walter Leak Parsons and lives in Rockingham, N. C. (d) Eleanor Mary West, b 1882; m. John C. Dockery in 1906. 5 ch.: Nicholas West Dockery, John C. Dockery, Jr., Eleanor West Dockery, Betsy Fairfax Dockery. They lived in Rockingham, N. C. (e) Nicholas William West, Jr., b. 1883; lives in Illinois; unm. (f) Louis Nelson West, b. 1886; m. Betsy Haywood in 1918. He is a surgeon living in Raleigh. (g) Julia Lindsley West, b. 1892; unm.

3. James Shaw West, b. 1844, d. 1894; m. (1) Emily A. Thompson, had 2 ch.: William Shaw West, (b. 1876; d. 1917; m. Susie Tillinghast and has one ch., William Shaw West, Jr., b. 1902) and George T. West, b. 1877, unm. James Shaw West then m. (2) Glovenia Thompson, who has one ch., Emily, b. 1884, d. 1907.

4. Kate Boylan West, b. 1844; d. 1918; unm.

Mrs. W. L. P. (Rockingham, N. C.).

[194]. Hendrick Van Dyke, of Neshanic.—Correspondence with Rev. J. W. Van Dyke, of Ocean Grove, elicits the fact that in Teunis G. Bergen's "Early Settlers of Kings County" he names a Hendrick Dirckse Vander Vlit (Vliet), as a son of Dirck Janse Van der Vliet, whereas he was Hendrick Van Dyke, as shown by his will. The mistake prevented the proper Hendrick Van Dyke being noted in the "Beekman-Van Dyke" work issued a few years since, and also stood in the way of securing Rev. Mr. Van Dyke's line of ancestry back to Jan Thomasse Van Dyke, the emigrant of 1652. Hendrick resided at Yellow Hook, L. I., and it was his son, Hendrick, who received from his father 200 acres of land at Neshanic; this Hendrick, Jr., was the ancestor of Rev. Mr. Van Dyke and of various Van Dykes who had traced back their line to Neshanic

but could go no farther. A pretty full list of descendants has been gathered by Rev. Mr. Van Dyke.

[195]. COSSART—KERSHAW—COSHUN.—"The impression seems to have been given in previous references to the Kershaw, Cossart, Coshun, etc., families in the QUARTERLY that they are all one. My investigations show that the *Coshun* family descends from a Joshua Coshun, who settled near Harlingen in 1730 or earlier. On the other hand the *Kershaw,* or *Kershow,* family of Somerset County up to 1806 are the descendants of Jacob Cossart and wife, Ann Maria Springsteen, of Brooklyn, through their two sons, Joost and Jerome, who settled near Harlingen. The children of Jacob and Ann Maria Cossart were:

"1. John, who m. Mary Simonson and settled near Oyster Bay, L. I. Their sons settled on Long Island and elsewhere in the State of New York.

"2. Jacob, Jr., who m. Jannete Bogart and remained at the old Brooklyn home. Their son, Jacob, m. Rachel Smith, and in 1806 they settled in Bridgewater twsp., Somerset Co., N. J., and are the ancestral parents of the Kershaw families *now* in Somerset.

"3. Joost, who m. Maria ———, about 1735, and, about 1738 or '9 settled near Harlingen. They had four sons, Jacob, George, Cornelius and Abraham, who were the fathers of practically all the Kershow, or Kershaw, families in Somerset up to 1806.

"4. Jerome, who m. Jane Nevius about 1744, and, with his brother Joost, settled near Harlingen. He d. young (about 1754), leaving only one son, Jacob, whom I cannot trace.

"5. Abraham, who m. Jannette Nevius and resided at Bushwick, L. I.; their sons remained on Long Island."

O. L. C. (Marion, Ohio).

[196]. BOUND BROOK AS "NEW MILFORD."—"Referring to the inquiry in the April QUARTERLY as to where in 1745 'New Milford' was, you mention a deed to Daniel Blackford, Jr., of 'New Milford,' and ask if an attempt was made about that time to change the name of Bound Brook to New Milford. I think you will so find. About 1719 David Cosart came over from New York and purchased considerable property along the Raritan at or near Bound Brook. Two deeds are recorded at Trenton from David Cosart to Aaron and Moses Louzada, dated Apr. 2, 1727, and July 29, 1734, and read that they are from "David Cosart, of Somerset County, yeoman, to Aaron and Moses Louzada, both of said county, merchants" and state that the lands are "in the town of New Milford on the north side of the Rarinton River." Evidently, as these two retired Jew merchants, father and son, resided in Bound Brook from

1700 onward, until their deaths (Aaron residing on the Codington, now LaMonte, property until 1744, when he died), it seems well proved that along from 1727 to 1745 or later Bound Brook must have had two names." O. L. C. (Marion, Ohio).

[The foregoing greatly interests us, as for several years we have been on the lookout for some solution of where "New Milford" in Somerset County was. We ran across the name first, somewhere, a long time ago, but not so as to locate the place. No history of Bound Brook has alluded to this attempted change of name, so far as we know. In Davis' "First Houses of Bound Brook," or in the Snell or Messler histories, there is no reference to it, nor do we find the name in connection with any advertisements of land sales, etc., in the "New Jersey Archives." The deed of 1745, noted in our last QUARTERLY (p. 151), set us to making the inquiry which we believe now well answered. The reason for the attempted change and why the new name was allowed to become obsolete is still a matter on which we wish some light could be thrown.

[197]. NOTED VOORHEES LAWYERS.—There is a Voorhees line of Somerset County which has produced more lawyers, perhaps, than that of any other family line of this county. It descends from Judge Peter Voorhees, of Blawenburgh. Judge Voorhees was b. May 17, 1787, and d. July 4, 1853. His wife was Jane Schenck (dau. of Capt. John Schenck), who was b. Dec. 28, 1787, and d. July 22, 1843. His parents were Martinus Voorhees and Elsie Van Dyke, of Bridgeport, Somerset Co., and his grandparents Petrus Voorhees and Leah Nevius, of Blawenburgh, so the family is an old one in the same general neighborhood. Judge Schenck was a Judge of the Somerset Common Pleas 1833-'45, and also a member of the Legislature 1843-'45. His children were:

1. Alice Anne, who m. Dr. John Van Dyke Joline, of Princeton, afterward of Camden. They had four sons; two, John Forsyth and Charles Van Dyke became lawyers, the latter still practicing in Camden, having been twice Judge of the District Court of that city and twice Common Pleas Judge of that county, and being now one of the Bar Examiners of this State.

2. John S., who m. Sarah Ann Van Doren, and two of whose sons were lawyers: Peter V. becoming Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals of this State (1901-'5), and John S., who was Prosecutor of the Pleas of Middlesex county (1896-1904).

3. Charity, who m. Samuel D. Bergen, of Princeton, and had three sons lawyers: Christopher A., Martin V. and Samuel D. Christopher A. is deceased, but he was also a Member of Congress for two terms (1889-'93).

4. Mary, who m. Armitage Drake, of Hopewell, whose son, Herbert A., is a Camden lawyer.

5. Ada H., unm.

6. Peter L., who m. Anna F. Dayton (sister of Hon. William L. Dayton), and was one of the most distinguished lawyers of South Jersey. He had a dau., Jennie D., who m. George Reynolds, also a Camden lawyer.

7. Jane, who m. Jesse B. Davis, of Hightstown, one of whose daus., Ada H., m. Hon. Allen B. Endicott, of Atlantic City, who was a Judge of the Common Pleas and then Circuit Judge of Atlantic county. His son, of the same name, but "Jr.," is also a lawyer, and both are in practice now.

8. Frederick, who m. Lizzie M. Barrett, and was a prominent member of the Burlington Bar.

Thus at least thirteen (perhaps more, if this line were more fully traced) of the descendants, or intermarriages of the descendants, of this one family were attorneys, and many of them Judges, being a rather notable instance of a family habit to enter one profession.

[198]. DESCENDANTS OF ABRAHAM VAN ARSDALE.—By reference to the article upon "The Van Arsdale Family" in the last QUARTERLY, there will be found an Abraham, of Harlingen, whose will and children are noted, among these children there being an Abraham, who (as stated in the footnote, p. 103) was "perhaps" an Abraham who served in the Revolution. It now is certain that this identity is correct, and that the line runs:

I. Symon J., of Flatlands.

II. Cornelis, of Flatlands.

III. Abraham, of Harlingen (brother to Philip, of Pluckemin, whose descendants were traced in the article referred to), who m. Maria (Stryker?).

IV. Abraham, of Harlingen, to whom we now direct attention. The notes concerning this Abraham are supplied, in the main, by a descendant, Miss Julia Fuller, of Beatrice, Nebraska.

Abraham Van Arsdalen (as his name was usually written) was a corporal in Capt. Coonrad Ten Eyck's Co., First Battalion, of Somerset County, and, when under the command of Col. Nathaniel Heard, marched in 1776 on the campaign to Staten Island. Perhaps he is the same who served, also, as a private in Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck's Co., same Battalion. He also served as Sergeant in 1794 in Major-Gen. Frederick Frelinghuysen's Legion in putting down the Pennsylvania Whiskey Insurrection, being in Capt. Jonathan F. Morris' Company. We have come across his name somewhere as "Colonel Abraham." Presumably he

became such in the State militia after the Pennsylvania service, but this record, if existing, has not been looked up.

Abraham was b. Dec. 2, 1750, and bapt. at Harlingen Dec. 25, 1750, where his parents are stated to be "Abram and Maria Van Arsdalen," which fixes his parentage and ancestry as stated above. He m., about 1787, Margaret Kennedy (dau. of Henry Kennedy and Catrina Booshear, of Harlingen), who was b. 1750 and d. 1834. In 1813, and again in 1818 he was appointed a Judge of the Common Pleas of Somerset. Previously (1807 and 1811-12) he was a Chosen Freeholder and served on the Twsp. Committee. He died Apr. 10, 1821, and his will of April 3, 1821, was probated April 17, 1821, in Somerset. (Brook D of Wills, p. 380). By this will he gave to his son Abraham the farm on which the latter then lived in Hillsborough twsp. and names as his children, Mary, Elizabeth, Elsie and Catherine.

A photograph, taken presumably from an old portrait somewhere preserved in the family, is now in possession of Miss Fuller, and represents the Colonel and Judge as having "a tall form, large nose, black eyebrows and one lock of very dark hair appearing from under a grey wig worn in a cue. Under his arm is a large, leather-bound tome."

The only son of the Colonel was Abraham A. Varsdalen, b. May 24, 1788; d. June 22, 1836, intestate; m., Sept. 17, 1809, Elizabeth Beekman (dau. of Capt. Samuel Beekman and Helen Ten Broeck), who was b. Mar. 9, 1788, and d. May 26, 1847. They resided in Hillsborough twsp., probably near Flagtown, and had six children, all b. in Somerset County:

1. Abraham, b. July 10, 1810; d. about Sept., 1868; m., Oct. 27, 1832, Catherine (?) Polhemus. Had a dau., Mary Elizabeth, b. Feb. 25, 1834, who is said to have m. a wealthy sugar refiner; also Alice Ann, b. Sept. 17, 1835, and Helen M., b. July 1, 1836.

2. Peter Beekman, b. Aug. 20, 1812; d. July 13, 1885; m., Apr. 9, 1833, Christian Van Derveer (dau. of Peter Van Derveer and Catherine Van Dyke, of Griggstown, Somerset Co.), who was b. 1814 and d. in 1905, aged over 90 years. They went West in May, 1838, by ox team and wagon from New Jersey, and on a flatboat down the Ohio river, settling, after a two months' journey, on the treeless prairie of Illinois, one mile east of present Fairview. He took his grain to St. Louis or Chicago to sell or find a grist mill, a three-weeks' trip made, perhaps, once a year. On one of these trips he obtained his first cook stove from St. Louis. He helped with his own hands to build the Dutch Reformed church at Fairview, which was constructed of solid native black walnut, and little changed to-day, though modernized. The children of Peter B. and Christian were: (1) Alice, b. 1835 in Somerset Co., N. J.; d., 1872, at Fair-

view; m., Dec. 23, 1853, Abram Voorhees. Four ch. (2). Peter Va Derveer Van Arsdale, b. Apr. 8, 1840; m., May 16, 1866, Damaris Criss Van Dorn, "first white child born in Sacramento, California," on Ma 11, 1846. (See "The Van Doorn Family," pp. 603, 613). He resided i Chariton, Ia., holding various positions of trust, and also served thre years in the Civil War in an Illinois Regiment. Five ch. (3) Jane W b. Oct. 1, 1841; d. Nov. —, 1917; m., Mar. 9, 1864, Andrew Jackso Shepley, of Canton, Ill. Three ch. (4) Elizabeth, b. Apr. 14, 1848 m., Dec. 25, 1867, Hon. John Nelson Fuller, a native of Maine, whon she survives, at Beatrice, Nebraska. Three ch., including Julia Fulle heretofore named, who has been active as Chairman of the Woman' Committee of Defense, Gage Council, at Beatrice. (5) Mary, b. Dec 14, 1849; d. July 28, 1878; m., Oct. 11, 1866, Thomas J. Shepley, farme of Canton, Ill. Two ch. (6) Luther P., b. Dec. 24, 1853; d. July 30 1879, at Fairview, Ill.; m. Mary Swaggart. One ch. (7) Abram, b May 8, 1856; d. May, 1893, at Fairview; m., Nov. 5, 1878, Samanth Anderson. One ch. (8) Mary Elizabeth, b. Aug. 31, 1846; d. Sept. 14 1846. (9) Abram Beekman, b. Jan. 23, 1852; d. Sept. 14, 1854.

3. William, b. Feb. 8, 1815; d. 187-; m., Sept. 14, 1836, a Harlingen, N. J., Joanna V. Bergen (dau. of Evert J. Berge and Jane Stryker), who was b. June 7, 1813. They settled at Raritan Ill., in 1850, and had ch.: (1) Abraham B., b. Mar. 1, 1838; m. Mar Ann Huston. Four ch. (2) Evert B., d. in infancy. (3) Peter, b May 9, 1842; d. at Raritan, Ill.; m. Amanda Jane Huston. Three ch (3) James B., b. Oct. 30, 1844; d. at Raritan, Ill.; m. Sally ———.

4. Catherine Ann, b. Feb. 22, 1817; m. (1) Feb. 8, 1836 Garret V. Staats, of Somerset Co., N. J., who d. 1847, and (2) John Milligan. Ch.: John, Abram and Chrissie Staats.

5. Elsey (Alice), b. Sept. 23, 1818; d. May 26, 1852; m., Jan 13, 1841, Abraham S. Quick, of Somerset Co., N. J.

6. Samuel Beekman, b. Mar. 29, 1820; d. Dec., 1893; m (1) Jane Murris (who was a Widow Long, with four daughters), and (2) Margaret Ratt. Resided at Harlingen, N. J. One son, Martin Luther, b. Feb. 13, 1849; m., Dec. 1, 1875, Sarah Elizabeth Huselton (dau. of William Huselton and Sarah Henderson, of Hampton, N. J.) He went West in 1879, and has been an engineer on the Union Pacific R. R. for fifty years past, residing in Omaha and Beatrice, Neb. Three ch., one Roy, serving in the late War in France.

Miss Fuller has more complete notes of the Western descendants than are given above, but the foregoing will suffice to enable any person of this line of Van Arsdales, if they also consult the last (April) QUARTERLY, to go back fully to their earliest known American ancestor.

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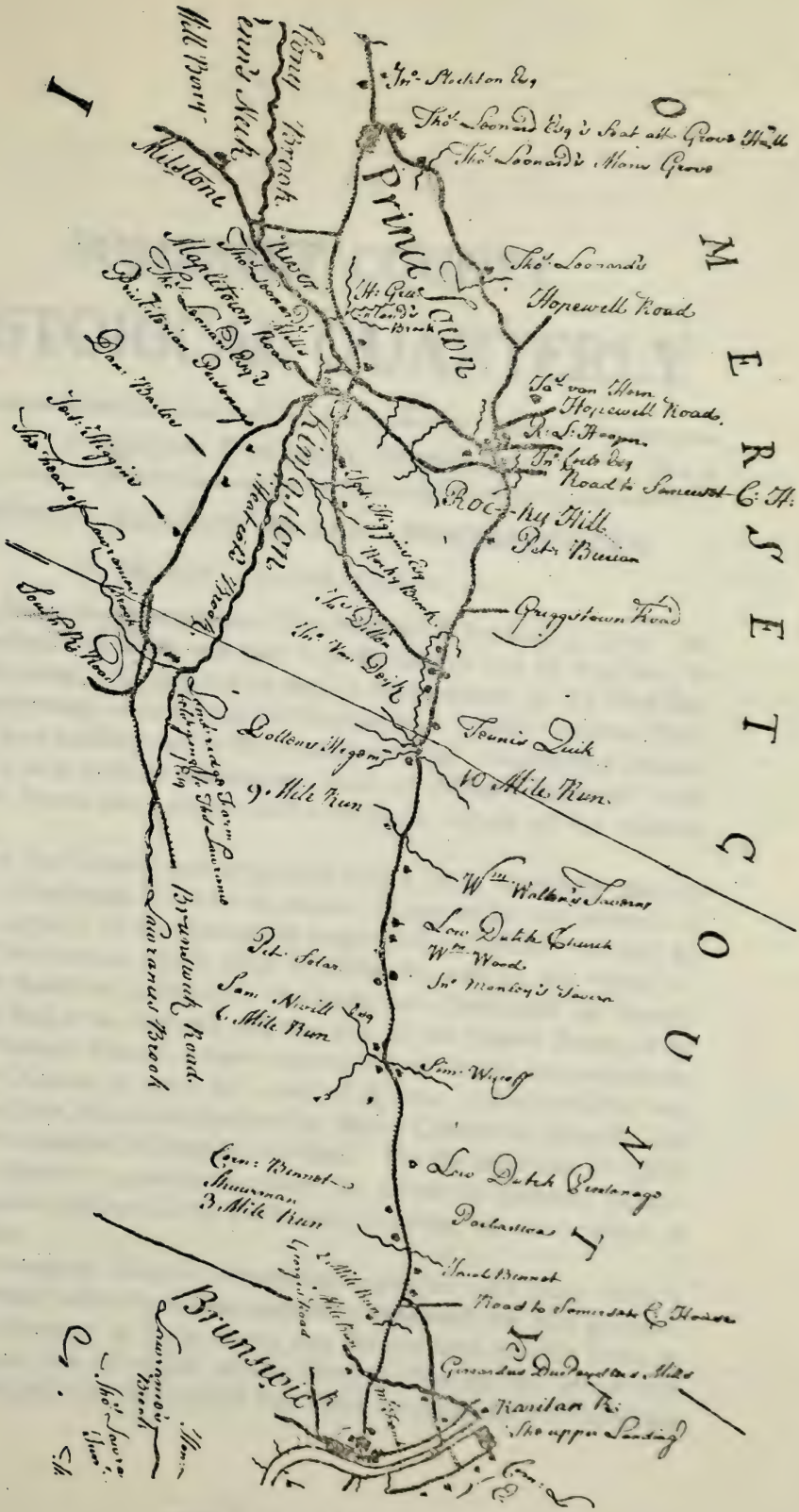
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GENERAL ZEBULON M. PIKE, SOMERSET-BORN

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GENERAL ZEBULON MONTGOMERY PIKE was born January 5, 1779. He was a Jerseyman by birth, and now it is discovered that he was born in Somerset County. His parents as well as his ancestors in the Pike line for five generations were natives of Woodbridge. Captain Zebulon Pike, the father, was an officer in the Revolutionary War. The General entered military life as a cadet in a Company under his father's command when he was but fifteen years of age and afterwards served on the western frontiers.

In 1805 the General was employed with a party of twenty men to explore the Mississippi River to its source. Later on he was selected to explore the interior of the then called country of Louisiana. In 1806 he discovered the famous Pike's Peak in Colorado, and on his return he received the thanks of Congress. The same year (Sept. 29) he "caused the Spanish flag to be lowered and the flag of the United States to be raised" at Pawnee, Kansas, where a monument so stating was erected by the State of Kansas in 1901, at a cost of $3,000. Afterwards he was appointed Captain, then a Major, and in 1810 a Colonel of infantry. In 1813 he was appointed a Brigadier-General. On the 25th day of April, 1813, at the head of 1,500 choice troops, he sailed for Sacketts Harbor on an expedition against Little York, now Toronto, the then capital of Upper Canada.

In the taking of York a tremendous explosion took place from a British magazine which had been previously prepared for that purpose. An immense quantity of large stones was thrown with terrible force in every direction, one of which struck General Pike on the breast and mortally wounded him. It is stated that when the surgeons were carrying

him from the field a tumultuous huzza was heard; Pike, turning his head with an anxious look of inquiry, was told by a sergeant: "The British Union Jack is coming down General; the Stars are going up!" He heaved a heavy sigh and smiled.[1] He was then carried on board the Commodore's ship, where he lingered for a few hours. Just before he breathed his last the British standard was brought to him, when he made a sign to have it placed under his head, and expired. He was probably the greatest of all our Generals to fall in our second war with Great Britain.

Who was the mother of this famous General and where was he born? The name of his mother I have been unable to ascertain through any of the records in New Jersey, Washington, in the West, or elsewhere, and so this is yet to be determined.

Captain John Pike, the first of the Pikes to be found in New Jersey, settled in Woodbridge in 1666. He was a magistrate and member of Council under the Proprietory Government. He had a son John, who was also a magistrate and member of the Council.

Zebulon Pike, the first of that name, was a son of the latter John Pike. He made his will on June 6, 1761, and died in 1762. His wife's name was Janet Pike, and they had at least two children, John and James. John married Hannah Phillips (license dated) January 12, 1744, and of this marriage there were several children. Joseph, one of them, is mentioned in the will of his grandfather, Zebulon Pike. John died intestate February 1, 1761, aged forty-three years. Administration upon his estate was first granted to his brother James, then to his father Zebulon, and then to his mother, Janet. The other son, James, was the grandfather of the General. He married Mary Herriot, of Woodbridge, (license dated) March 7, 1747, and died May 15, 1761, aged 39 years. His will, bearing date Nov. 5, 1760, states that he was of Woodbridge in the County of Middlesex, Province of East New Jersey. In it he gives to his son, Zebulon Pike, all that lot of upland and salt meadow lying by William Pike's; and to his son, James, all that lot of land adjoining to Jonathan Harned's. He mentions another son, Robert, and two daughters. To Robert he gives two lots of land on Strawberry Hill; likewise a lot of land that was formerly John Reaves'. He appointed his friend, David Herriot and William Pike executors of his will.

Captain Zebulon Pike, the father of the General, was born in 1751, and died at Lawrenceburg, Ind., July 27, 1834. Besides the General he had at least three other children, one George W. Pike, who was admitted

[1]In the records of the dedication of the monument at Pawnee (Kansas Hist. Soc. Proc., vol. 7), it states that "Gen. Pike seems to have had a presentment that he would not return from his expedition to the North," and that his last words were: "Keep the flag floating!"

in the Naval Academy in 1808 and died in military service in 1812. Another James B. Pike, and a daughter, Maria H. (Herriot) Pike.

The records of the pension department at Washington disclose that in 1823 Capt. Zebulon Pike referred to the following members of his family, but his wife's name is not stated:

> James B. Pike, his wife Elizabeth, son, (aged 40 years) and children: William, 8 years. George, 6 years. Montgomery, 4 years. Catherine, 2 years. Joseph, 3 months.
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> Daughters, Maria H. Gage, aged 33 years, and her children: Zebulon, 12 years. Sarah, 9 years. Clarissa, 6 years. ———, 9 months.

In 1824 he referred to his grandchild, her name not stated, the daughter of the late General Zebulon Montgomery Pike. This refers to Clarissa Brown Pike, named after her mother, who was Clarissa Harlow Brown, the daughter of Captain John Brown, of the Revolutionary War, who emigrated from New Jersey to North Bend, Kentucky, sometime prior to 1800. She was the only child of the General who arrived at maturity. She married John Cleves Symmes Harrison, eldest son of President William Henry Harrison, and of this marriage there were six children. Harrison died early in life leaving his widow, together with the six little children, three boys and three girls. His widow, who was so affected by her husband's death that her mind was ever afterward clouded, died a few years subsequent, and the six children were left solely in the care of Mrs. Zebulon M. Pike. One of these sons, Pike Harrison, was adopted by the Government and educated at West Point, and was killed by the Indians in a skirmish in the West. Another son, Symmes Harrison, Jr., was killed by lightning. Another, William Henry, married and settled in Kentucky and reared a large family. The eldest of the girls was named Zebulon, in honor of her two grandfathers. Two of the daughters married physicians, and, it is said, died of cholera.

The General's widow died in 1847 at the age of sixty-five years and was buried in a private burial-ground at North Bend, Kentucky. Her will at Burlington bequeaths, among other things, to her grandson, Montgomery Pike Harrison, the portrait of her deceased husband, "General M. Pike."

I recently discovered that a granddaughter of Captain Pike (and niece of Gen. Zebulon M. Pike) died at Larned, Kansas, in April, 1909. She was Sarah Gage, the daughter of Maria Herriot Gage, mentioned by the Captain in 1823, as nine years old (Maria was General Pike's "favorite sister"). If Sarah's age was correctly given by her grandfather, she must have been ninety-five years of age at the time of her death. She was the representative of the Pike family in Kansas. Her first husband was Joseph Wardell; her second, Rev. Mr. Sturdevant, a Presbyterian Min-

ister at Springfield, Ohio, who went to Kansas in 1875 and died there at Olathe, in 1886, after they had been married over fifty years. After his death Mrs. Sturdevant moved to Larned, Kansas, and lived with her daughter, Jennie, the wife of Col. Wesley Rowe Adams. Her only son is Charles Sturdevant, who also lived in Larned, Kansas, but later moved to Alva, Oklahoma. Jennie, the wife of Colonel Adams, died in 1914. Whether she left descendants, I have not, as yet, been able to ascertain. I know of no other descendant of Captain Pike, excepting H. L. Harrison, of Ludlow Station, Kentucky, who is a grandson of General Pike, but who is unable to furnish me with the name of his great-grandmother.

There is some possibility that the wife of Captain Pike was Isabella, for the reason that General Davis, in his history of Bucks County, says that Captain Pike and wife in 1786 conveyed to Jonathan Kensey, of Solebury, a tract of land in Northumberland County. In the deed he is styled "Captain." The name of the wife, joining in the execution of this deed, is Isabella.

General Davis also states that from military records in existence Captain Pike, immediately after he was commissioned Captain in Moylan's Light Dragoons, took the oath of allegiance before Joseph Hart, Esq., of Warminster Township, in Bucks County, on June 28, 1777; and from the "Pennsylvania Archives" he is likewise shown, from military returns, to have been credited in the War of the Revolution to Pennsylvania. Stryker's "Official Register" (p. 86), credits him to "Moylan's Regiment," but gives his record, perhaps because he was known to be a Jerseyman, first enlisting at Woodbridge. I also find in the official tax returns for Bucks County, Pennsylvania, that one of his name was engaged in the farming and milling business in 1785 and 1787, but he is not shown among the inhabitants of Bucks County in the United States census of 1790.[2]

The pension application of Captain Pike shows that he entered the military service in June, 1776, in Captain John Haddon's Company at Woodbridge, New Jersey; and in the following year he was an officer in Moylan's Light Dragoons, and served therein until the close of the Revolutionary War. Afterwards we find him a Captain in the battalion of troops furnished by New Jersey for St. Clair's Expedition in 1791; and upon the completion of this service in the following year he entered the regular military establishment of the United States, obtaining the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and remained until the close of the War of 1815.

[2]In Captain Pike's deed conveying the land in Northumberland County, Pa., he spelled his Christian name, "Zebalon." Query: Was this Captain Pike of Woodbridge, New Jersey? This question can be positively answered by ascertaining the Christian name of General Zebulon M. Pike's mother.

Where General Pike Was Born

Writers of history and biography have stated that General Zebulon Montgomery Pike was born at Lamberton; nearly all declare it was Lamberton, now the southern part of the City of Trenton. Lamberton was that part of the City of Trenton which now constitutes the sixth ward. It was named after Thomas Lambert, who founded it at the same time that Mahlon Stacy founded Trenton.

The well-known name of Lamberton at Trenton has been responsible for the mistake as to the General's birthplace which has crept into history and which has gone uncorrected for nearly three-quarters of a century. If one will pick up almost any encyclopedia or biography he will find it stated that General Pike was born at "Lamberton, now a part of Trenton, New Jersey, January 5, 1779." But this name has been confused with his real birthplace, which was not at Lamberton in Mercer County, but at Lamberton (now Lamington) in Somerset County.

Elliott Coues, who published "The Expedition of Zebulon M. Pike" in 1895, in three volumes, says: "The best life of Pike we have had, is that which was prepared by Henry Whiting and published in 1845 in Jared Spark's "Library of American Biography," Vol. XV., or New Series, Vol. V., pp. 217-314." Mr. Coues, following Whiting, says: "The Pike family resided in New Jersey for several generations. One Captain Pike acquired his military title in Indian warfare. Zebulon Pike, the father of Zebulon Montgomery Pike, had been a Captain in the Revolutionary army, and had served in the levies of 1791; . . . . was brevetted Lieutenant-Colonel July 10, 1812, and honorably discharged June 15, 1815. He died July 27, 1834. His son, Zebulon Montgomery Pike, was born at Lamberton, afterwards a south part of Trenton, N. J., January 5th, 1779. During some of Zebulon Montgomery's childhood days his parents removed to a place in Bucks County, Pa., near the Delaware River, and thence to Easton, Pa. Whiting says that he was remembered by some of his schoolmates, who were living in 1845, as a boy of slender form, very fair complexion, gentle and retiring disposition, but of resolute spirit," etc.

In Barber and Howe's "Historical Collections of New Jersey," published in 1844, it is stated that "Zebulon M. Pike was born at Lamberton, Mercer County, January 5th, 1779. His parents were natives of Woodbridge, where their son spent his youth," etc.

General William H. H. Davis, who published his "History of Bucks County" in 1905, says: "The distinguished Zebulon M. Pike, who fell at York, Canada, in 1813, spent several years of his life at Solebury, if not born there. As will be remembered the Pikes were early landowners

in Solebury, Joseph owning land there before 1702. The General is said to have been born at Lamberton, now the lower part of Trenton, New Jersey, January 5, 1779." A foot-note to the latter statement reads: "There is no positive evidence that General Pike was born in Solebury, but likely in that vicinity, certainly in Bucks County, where his father resided several years, before his son's birth."

The late historian, Francis B. Lee, in his "New Jersey as a Colony and as a State," makes the statement that General Pike was born "in Lamberton, an early suburb of Trenton."

In the "Kansas Historical Society Proceedings" of 1901-2, Vol. 7, p. 286, in the account of the dedicatory exercises of a monument to General Pike, it is stated that he "was born near Trenton, N. J.," and giving the correct date.

Several other of the modern contributors to Trenton's history have also stated that the General was born in Trenton. One has gone so far as to say that "General Zebulon Montgomery Pike was the greatest Trentonian of his day and one of the greatest men Trenton has yet produced. . . . He was one of the early students of the old Trenton Academy, it is said," etc.

In the Trenton "Sunday Times-Advertiser," of August 16, 1914, appeared an article with this heading: "Want Monument Erected Here to Memory of General Pike—Former Mayor Bechtel Starts Movement to Thus Commemorate the Exploits of Famous Soldier and Explorer Who was Born in This City." Then follows an article in which mention is made of Mr. Bechtel's recent return from a tour of the West. While in the West he saw a number of monuments erected near Pike's Peak to the discoverer and soldier. He expressed regret that "in the city where the well known General was born, is but one little slab designating the place where his body is laid." This is contained in the outside wall of St. Michael's burial ground and reads:

"Sacred to the Memory of
GENL. Z. M. PIKE
Of the U. S. Army
Who Fell in Defense
Of His Country on the
27th April, A. D. 1813,
At York, Upper Canada.
This Small Tribute of
Respect is Erected by his
Friend, Z. R."

In contrast the monument at Pike's Peak reads:

"ZEBULON MONTGOMERY PIKE
Was Born at Lamberton
Now Trenton, New Jersey,
January 5, 1779
Died April 27, 1813,
In an Attack on York,
Later Toronto, Canada.
Aged 34 Years
Burial at
Madison Barracks, N. Y."

It was the view of former Mayor Bechtel that, in consideration of the most remarkable career of General Pike and his accomplishments as a soldier-explorer, Trenton should have some more fitting monument than that which is in the wall of St. Michael's, and he suggested that a general fund be started.

The monument in the West referred to by Mr. Bechtel has a copper plate on each of its four sides, all descriptive of some notable achievement of General Pike, one of which reads:

"The People of Colorado Have Placed Here
This Granite Rock in Recognition of the
Notable Career of Zebulon M. Pike, Soldier—
Explorer and Commander, on the One Hundredth
Anniversary of his Historic Expedition."

The tablet in St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Warren Street, Trenton, has led many to believe that General Pike's body was buried there, but this is not so. His remains, after the battle at York, were conveyed to Sackett's Harbor, Jefferson County, New York, and buried with military honors near Fort Tompkins. Afterwards, in 1818, they were removed from Sackett's Harbor to the burial-grounds at Madison Barracks in the immediate vicinity. Over his grave a plain wooden shaft was erected jointly to his memory and other gallant officers. On one side it bore the inscription: "In memory of Gen. Z. M. Pike. Killed at York, U. C., 27 April, 1813."

The initials, "Z. R.," on the tablet in St. Michael's Church, Trenton, are those of Zachariah Rossell, Major of the 15th Regiment of the U. S. Infantry, or "Pike's Regiment," in the War of 1812, and afterwards Adjutant-General of New Jersey. The records of St. Michael's Church do not disclose, nor have I been able to find any newspaper report of the dedication of this tablet.

After my attention had been called to the inscription on the monument at Colorado Springs, and being curious about old landmarks in and about Trenton, I endeavored to locate the house in Trenton in which General Pike was born. From the beginning I sought proof of the alleged fact that the General *was* born at Lamberton, now a part of Trenton. It seem-

ed strange that if such were a fact the early historians, such as the Rev. Eli Cooley, S. S. Haven (the elder), the Rev. John D. Hall, John O. Raum and others had nowhere in their writings mentioned it. Another fact leading me to doubt that General Pike was a native of Trenton was that in 1808 he was required to produce evidence of his citizenship in order to be promoted in the army. In complying with this requirement he procured from Governor Bloomfield, of New Jersey, a letter addressed to Henry Dearborn, then the Secretary of War, reading as follows:

"NEW JERSEY, TRENTON, 23d March, 1808.

"It appears by the records of this State that Captain John Pike, in the year 1666, was one of the original purchasers of and settled in Woodbridge—a magistrate and member of Council under the Proprietory government. I have been well acquainted with Major Zebulon Pike from my childhood, and with Captain John Brown (Lieutenant of Cavalry in the Revolutionary War) also a native of Woodbridge—Whose daughter Captain Z. M. Pike married; so that Captain Pike has good reason to claim New Jersey not only as his native State, but as the residence of his family for near a century and a half."

(Signed) "JOSEPH BLOOMFIELD."

Still further doubt was occasioned by finding that the "Trenton Federalist" of May 17, 1814, announced the killing of General Pike at Little York, and a week subsequently published the following: "It is surprising that we should be so long without an official list of the killed and wounded at the taking of Little York. A private letter mentions that the officers killed were General Pike, Captain Lyon, Hoppock (printer, formerly of this place), and Lieutenant Bloomfield. Three of these were natives of New Jersey."

The three officers mentioned as natives of New Jersey were Zebulon Montgomery Pike, Captain John Lambert Hoppock, and Second Lieutenant Moses Ogden Bloomfield; and the reporter having stated that Hoppock, printer, was formerly of Trenton, the natural inference would be that General Pike was not of Trenton, otherwise that fact would also have been mentioned. This was all the local newspaper notation relative to the death of General Pike that could be found.

Nearly all of General Pike's manuscripts have been destroyed by fire many years ago. The records of the offices of the Adjutant-General and of the Secretary of State of New Jersey do not, nor do the records of the War Department at Washington disclose the place where General Pike was born.

In 1808 General Pike published a volume of his "Expeditions Through Louisiana," which he protected by a copyright. The petition for the copyright was entered in the Clerk's office of the U. S. District Court

of Pennsylvania, June 7th, 1808. Hoping such petition might disclose General Pike's birthplace, the clerk of that Court was written to for the information desired. He answered stating that formerly applications for copyrights were entered in the clerk's office of the U. S. District Court, but, since the Act of 1870 relative thereto, all such applications have been made to the Library of Congress, and under the provisions of the Act all books and papers connected with the subject of copyright were transferred to Washington; therefore he was unable to give me the desired information. A similar letter was written to the Librarian of Congress, who referred it to the Registrar of Copyrights. The latter gentleman, after searching the records, wrote that the record book for the year 1808 showed the entry of the title of General Pike's book, but did not indicate the author's birthplace, and that he could find no trace of the original petition or application.

Thus far my researches, though they covered many fields, was disappointing in that they furnished nothing whereby to prove or disprove the subject of my quest—Whether General Pike was born in Trenton?

It frequently happens in attempting to establish a century-old fact, that when one has ceased his researches he stumbles over the proof of such fact when and where least expected. Recently I picked from a shelf of old books a small volume entitled "The American Biography." On opening it I found it to contain short sketches of the Heroes of the Revolution and of the War of 1812, published by Thomas Wilson, in two volumes, in 1817, within five years of General Pike's death. This volume contained nothing relative to General Pike. Volume two, however, could not be found, nor did our State or city libraries, or even the Princeton University Library, possess it. However, our Trenton City Librarian, Howard L. Hughes, volunteered to get it from the Library of Congress, if possible. Here the missing volume of a rare work was located and forwarded. What was my surprise on opening the book to find on the very first page a sketch of our hero in which the arthur states: "Zebulon Montgomery Pike was born at a place called Allamatunk, now by corruption Lamberton, in New Jersey."

Only once before had my attention been called to this name Allamatunk. In the "National Cyclopedia of American Biography," Vol. 2, page 517, it is stated "Pike, Zebulon Montgomery, soldier, was born at Lamberton, N. J., February 5, 1779; at the time of his birth the town was called Allamatunk."

The earliest mention of this name "Allamatunk" is to be found in the Act running the division line between East and West Jersey in 1719 during Robert Hunter's administration as Governor of New Jersey. One course was "until it intersects that part of the North Branch of Raritan

River which descends from a Fall of Water commonly called and known by the Indian name of Allamitung." (Allison's Laws 43). It is also mentioned in the Act of 1738 creating Morris County from that part of Hunterdon "lying to the Northward and Eastward of the well known place in the county of Hunterdon, being a Fall of Water in part of the North Branch of the Raritan River called in the Indian Language, or known by the name of Allomotonck." (Ibid, 109). The Falls then was in the Allamatunk River. We find this river mentioned in print in 1738 as the Lamaconick (11 "N. J. Archives" 520); in 1751 as the Lamoertonk (19 Ibid, 95); in 1763 as the Lamenton (24 Ibid, 170); in 1765 as the Alematunk (24 Ibid, 550). To-day it is known as the Lamington River. The Falls referred to is at the junction of Hunterdon, Somerset and Morris Counties. North of the falls the river is known as the Black River, and consequently the falls are often referred to as the Black River Falls. Tracing the Lamington River we find on its east bank in Bedminster township, Somerset County, the town of Lamington.

I visited this place a short time ago for the purpose of discovering additional facts, if possible. It is a pretty country village, containing not more than a dozen houses, a country store conducted by Fred. Anthony, formerly of Trenton, a school house, a Presbyterian Church, and an ancient burial-ground in which the bodies of many of New Jersey's early prominent citizens were buried, among them being John Honeyman, Washington's famous spy, and his wife. The history of the place disclosed that the place had been settled prior to 1740, as in that year the church was built; that in 1740 a call for the Rev. James McCrea was presented to the Presbytery from the people of Lamintunck, Lebanon, Peapack, Redington and Bethlehem, and that he became the first pastor, serving from 1741 to 1766. It also disclosed that the name Lamington has been corrupted from the old Indian name of Allamatunk. This church at Lamington was the only one in Bedminster township in 1779. It is referred to by "Garret Lane, living in Somerset County in the Township of Bedminster about half a mile from Lammonton Meeting House" in an advertisement for a cow which had strayed away in 1778. (2 "N. J. Archives," 302, 2d Series).

There can be no doubt that Lamington was known as "Lamberton" at the time General Pike was born. It was so called by Pastor McCrea's own family. He died in 1769 and was buried in the Lamington graveyard. His widow, Catherine, and son James, as his executors, on August 28 and September 4, 1769, advertised some of his lands for sale in the Pennsylvania Chronicle, as follows: "To be sold by way of public vendue on Tuesday, the tenth day of October next, at the dwelling-house of the Revd. James McCrea, deceased; a plantation, containing between three and

four hundred acres of land, in the Township of Bedminster and County of Somerset, and Province of East New Jersey, being about seventeen miles from New Brunswick, three miles from Lamberton Meeting-House, within one and a half of a good mill and about one and a half from Pluckemin." (26 "N. J. Archives," 492).

From the foregoing one can readily see how the name has been confounded with Lamberton, now Trenton.

The first person to write about General Pike (probably Thomas Wilson) said he was born at a place called Allamatunk, now by corruption Lamberton, in New Jersey. The second (like that of the "National Cyclopedia of American Biography") wrote that he was born in Lamberton and at the time of his birth the town was called Allamatunk. The third simply wrote that he was born at Lamberton, N. J., deeming it unnecessary to mention Allamatunk, as that name had been forgotten. The fourth (like Barber and Howe) knew of only one Lamberton in New Jersey, that in the newly-created county of Mercer, and so wrote that he was born at Lamberton, Mercer county. The fifth, writing after Lamberton had been created the Sixth Ward of the City of Trenton, took for granted what the preceding writer had said and wrote that he was born at Lamberton, now a part of Trenton, N. J. But now history is rectified, and Somerset County may claim General Pike as her son.

DAVID T. TALMAGE, FATHER OF THE NOTED TALMAGE CLERGYMEN

BY ROBERT SWARTWOUT TALMAGE

DOUBTLESS THE far-reaching influence for good exerted by the four well-known clergymen, Rev. Drs. John Van Nest, Goyn, James Richards and Thomas DeWitt Talmage, sons of David T. Talmage and his wife, Catharine Van Nest, was the result of their upbringing; and the school training bestowed on his talented children was, possibly, more thorough on account of his own incomplete education.

As one of the elder sons of Major Thomas Talmage[1] (he was born Apr. 21, 1783), many of the duties and responsibilities of managing his father's farm fell to David and he unselfishly passed on to his younger brothers the advantages he would otherwise have enjoyed. These, Rev. Jehiel Talmage and Dr. Samuel Kennedy Talmage, were both graduated from Nassau Hall, Princeton, Jehiel becoming a successful pastor in sev-

[1]Preceding articles on Major Thomas Talmage appeared in the QUARTERLY for October, 1918, and January and April, 1919. Also see "The Talmage Family and Its English Origin" in the January and April numbers, 1914.—EDITOR.

eral Northern New Jersey incumbencies, and Dr. Samuel Kennedy Talmage becoming President of Oglethorpe College, Georgia, of which State he became so thoroughly the adopted son that he served as the Chaplain of the first Confederate Congress, held at Atlanta.

The only record that we have concerning David Talmage's early education is that of his attendance at the "Old Red School House" at Raritan, erected in 1795. The journey to and from "Mont Verd" must have been tiresome, but fatigue and privations of many kinds seem always to have been borne by him without complaint.

Dr. Messler, in "First Things in Old Somerset," has given us a graphic description of this quaint little building. "It was," he says, "twenty-four feet square, consisting of one room only, and with but one door. A spacious fireplace was the only means of heating it. The furnishings were of the most primitive, consisting of wooden benches without back for the smaller children, and a long table flanked by benches on either side was given to those who could write and cypher. The building was painted red and had white casings around the doors and windows. Master Warburton was the first teacher engaged. He was an Englishman who probably had come over to America attached to the British Army in the War of the Revolution. The master was kindly, but a firm believer in the efficiency of the birch when necessary, and always kept a nicely-trimmed rod close at hand. The English Primer, Dilworth's Spelling Book and Arithmetic, the New Testament and the Bible were the only books known to the school."

David Talmage was a robust youth, full of energy and given to feats of strength and daring. Numerous trustworthy traditions handed down to us testify to his fearlessness and courage. In stature he was tall and slender, rugged of feature, and with the prominent nose and blue eyes so generally to be found in the family.

In his twenty-first year he married Catharine, a daughter of Peter Van Nest of Somerville, and for several years the young couple made their home with her family on the "Prince George" Van Nest estate on the road to North Branch. The old house is still standing, its interior showing the low-studded and -beamed ceilings characteristic of its time of building, and is now occupied by Mr. Henry Garretson, also a descendant of Peter Van Nest.[2]

[2]The Van Nest family was originally from the Netherlands, and the name is variously spelled in colonial records as van Ess, van Ness, van Nest, and van Neste. The pioneer in America, Pieter Van Nest, resided at the time of his emigration in Nes, one of three villages on the island of Ameland, off Friesland, between which province and the island lies De Walden Sound. Members of the van Nest family became illustrious in ancient days, one, in the sixteenth century, acting as Councilor of William the Silent, Prince of Orange. Vice-Admiral van Nest took part in the famous expedition against England in 1666, engaging in the battle off North

In the year 1805 David and Catharine Van Nest Talmage made profession of faith in the First Church of Raritan, during the pastorate of Rev. John S. Vredenburgh, where, later on, David Talmage was chosen and served as deacon. Besides attaining prominence in religious matters, he became active in civil affairs and served on many town committees and in various minor offices.

He owned property in Bridgewater Township, and in 1816 is found deeding certain land to one Ralph Terhune.

From the Van Nest homestead the family removed in 1814 to a farm east of Somerville, owned by an uncle, John Van Nest, and lived there until 1840. Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage refers to the removal as follows:

"The old house, in which so many of the children were born, has long since disappeared. I have no memory of residence there except of the day of departure, and that was only emphasized by the fact that we left behind an old black cat, which had purred her way into my affections, and this separation was the first sorrow I can recall."

In the year 1836 David Talmage became, by popular election, a Member of Assembly and was returned two successive terms. During the months the Legislature was in session, he lived in Trenton, only occasionally visiting his home. The journeys to and fro, while serving the State, were always made on a favorite horse named "Star," and on one of these occasions he witnessed the "fall of the meteors," so graphically described in a memorable sermon by Dr. Talmage in Philadelphia in 1867, that I give the excerpt verbatim:

"My father was on the turnpike road between Trenton and Bound Brook, coming through the night from Trenton, where he was serving the State, to his home, where there was sickness. I have often heard him tell about it. It was the night of the 12th and the morning of the 13th of November, 1833. The sky was cloudless and the air clear. Suddenly the heavens became a scene never to be forgotten. From the constellation Leo meteors began to shoot out in all directions. For the two hours between four and six in the morning it was estimated that a thousand meteors a minute flashed and expired. It grew lighter than noon-day.

Foreland, Kent. His ships, and those of Admiral Tromp, were so badly crippled that they had to be abandoned, but the commanders survived and led brilliantly until obliged to retreat. The following year, 1667, Admiral van Nest blocked the mouth of the Thames, while Admiral De Ruyter threatened the English Coast, causing consternation and terror there.

The original patent to Peter Van Nest, (son of Pieter), the first of the family to settle in New Jersey, consisted of a large tract of land along the north branch of the Raritan River, in what was then East Jersey, situated between the villages of North Branch and Somerville. In time this estate was partitioned off among his heirs. The homestead was replaced some years ago by a building used at the present time as the Community Home for the Poor and Aged. [For some particulars of the early Van Nests in Somerset see QUARTERLY, Vol. VI, pp. 211-213.—EDITOR].

Through the upper air shot arrows of fire! Balls of fire! Trails of fire! Showers of fire! Some of the appearances were larger than the full moon. All around the heavens explosion followed explosion. Sounds as well as sights! The air filled with an uproar. All the luminaries of the sky seemed to have received marching orders. The ether was ribbed and interlaced and garlanded with meteoric display. From horizon to horizon everything was in combustion and conflagration. The spectacle ceased not until the rising sun of the November morning eclipsed it, and the whole American nation sat down exhausted with the agitations of a night to be memorable until the earth itself shall become a falling star. The Bible closes with such a scene of falling lights—not only fidgety meteors, but grave old stars. St. John saw it in prospect and wrote: 'The stars of heaven fell unto the earth even as a fig tree casteth her untimely figs when she is shaken of a mighty wind.' What a time there will be when worlds drop! Rain of planets! Gravitation letting loose her grip on worlds! Constellations falling apart and galaxies dissolved!"

After his return from his duties in the Assembly, David Talmage resumed his old manner of living, but it was not for long that he was destined to enjoy the peacefulness of purely home duties. His strength of mind and body had been remarked by those powerful politically, and in 1841 he was elected Sheriff of Somerset County and compelled to forsake the life of a country 'squire and take up his residence in Somerville for a more active public career.[3]

Dr. Talmage, with filial affection, has preserved for us anecdotes of his father's life, one of which, illustrating his great courage and presence of mind, is thrilling as well as interesting:

"My father was the only person I ever knew without any element of fear. I do not believe he understood the sensation. While serving as

[3]While visiting England some years ago, in the little ancient church at Helmingham, near Ipswich, where many of the Talmash family (of the same race as the American Talmages) are entombed, I found the sarcophagi of four of the name who had held office as High Sheriffs of Suffolk during the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Centuries. The quaint inscription on one of the tombs was so interesting that I copied it. It runs:

"Heir to my father's name Lionel—and seat,
Lands, Goods and Kindness to Small and Great,
By Heaven's Blessing on my best Endeavour
In his Footsteps persevered I ever.
Amomgste the Best, above the most admired
For all the Parts my Race and Place required.
High Sheriff of Suffolk once—of Norfolk twice.
For both approv'd right Gentle, Just and Wise.
Lord Wentworth's Daughter was my lovely Phear [fair],
And Four Score (six less) lived I Pilgrim here."

He is represented as a knight, in complete black armor, kneeling beneath the tomb, above which an armorial bears the fret of the Talmage arms impaled with the gryphons of the house of Wentworth. The date of death is inscribed as January 20, 1571.

High Sheriff of Somerset, a prisoner got playing the maniac, dashing things to pieces, vociferating horribly and flourishing a knife with which he threatened to carve any one who came near the wicket of his prison. Constables were called in to quell this real or dramatized maniac, but they fled in terror. My father, arriving about this time, was told of the trouble and warned of the danger of going near the cell. Apparently deaf to all entreaties, he took down the great key and opened the iron door. Without any weapon of defense he came upon the man, and with a stern and resolute face thundered: 'Sit down and give me that knife!' The prisoner obeyed at once and a tragedy was averted."

Of another occasion, he also relates:

"I recall that as a boy I was driving with him one day behind a team of fractious horses that became unmanageable and ran away, threatening to demolish our surrey and us with it. My father, perfectly calm, turned around to me, a boy of seven years, and asked: 'What are you crying about, DeWitt? I guess we can ride as fast as they can run.'"

David Talmage acted at various times on committees for improving the educational conditions in Somerville, and to his own sons, as before noted, he was able to give advantages such as he himself had not been able to enjoy.

His eldest son, James Richards, was graduated from Nassau Hall, Princeton, and the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, holding subsequently pastorates at Chittenango and Kingston, N. Y., and Jersey City.

John Van Nest, his fourth son, took his degree at Rutgers, sailing shortly thereafter for China, where he lived for over sixty years. Besides his work in the foreign missionary field, he translated several books of the Bible, Bunyan's "Pilgrim Progress," many essays, also school books and hymns into the Chinese language.

Goyn, the fifth son, was graduated from Rutgers College and New Brunswick Theological Seminary and held pastorates at Rhinebeck and Port Jervis, N. Y., for many years, contributing during the same period to the "Christian at Work" regularly and publishing several books, among them "The Dutch Reformed Church, a Goodly Heritage," "Admonitions for the Times," "Christ in the Storm," and "Religious Tests." His last residence was in Somerville.

Thomas DeWitt Talmage, the youngest son, who became world-renowned, was graduated from the University of the City of New York and Rutgers Theological Seminary. His first charge was at Belleville, N. J. In 1862 he accepted a call to the Second Reformed Church of Philadelphia, but, after six years' pastorate there, he received a call to the Central Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, afterwards known as the "Brooklyn Tabernacle." Dr. Talmage also edited the "Christian at Work," "The Advance," and later, "The Christian Herald." His weekly

sermons were published all over America and were translated into many languages. Several books were published by him, the better known being, "Crumbs Swept Up," "Abominations of Modern Society," "Around the Tea Table" and "Everyday Religion." As a lecturer he was in constant demand. His life is too well-known to need further remarks.[4]

At the expiration of his term of office in 1844 Mr. Talmage returned to Middlebrook and occupied a house which has only recently been torn down. The fifty-ninth anniversary of his marriage was celebrated there in 1862, and Rev. Dr. John F. Mesick, one of the guests, gave the following clever picture of the occasion in "Christian Intelligencer" of November of that year:

"This gathering was so extraordinary in some respects that it merits a passing notice, at least. The return from China of the Rev. John V. N. Talmage to his paternal home after many years in foreign lands was an additional reason for this family reunion. From far and near they came, bringing their partners and children with them to the number of fifty, to honor the parents spared to a good old age and to greet the brother returned from distant lands. After a service of prayer and thanksgiving had been offered by the Rev. James R. Talmage, a short talk was given by the Rev. John Van Nest Talmage, who chose as his topic: 'Offer unto God thanksgiving.' The Rev. Goyn Talmage made a prayer, which closed the services. The guests then adjourned to 'The Evergreens,' the home of Col. Daniel Talmage, another son, living near by, where dinner was served. Some unusual color was added to this occasion by two natives in Chinese costume, servants of Rev. John V. N. Talmage, who assisted at table. Afterward the guests sought the spacious parlors. In the center of the room, between the folding doors, in large arm-chairs, sat the aged white-haired sire and his wife, each in apparent good health, while around them grouped their distinguished sons and their wives. At the farther end of the rooms a cluster of singers had gathered around the organ. It produced a beautiful picture, worthy the painter's brush. A felicitous address was made by the Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage of Philadelphia, having a due mixture of the grave and the gay, expressive of the joy of the present and of a sober sense of the prospective changes of the future. The theme was the characteristics of the Talmage family, which was handled with sprightliness, wit and truthfulness. In closing the thought was suggested that in all human probability they would never all meet again on earth alive and well. This sad thought was sooner realized than was anticipated, for Mrs. David Talmage died just one month from that day."

After the death of his wife, Mr. Talmage made his home with his son, "Colonel Dan," at "The Evergreens," and lived there until his death, which occurred the 27th of October, 1865, just three years to the day

[4]David T. Talmage had, in fact, seven sons, whose names, in order, appeared in the QUARTERLY of 1914 (Vol. III, pp. 103, 104).

after that of his wife.[5] During the next month his son, Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage, then pastor of the Second Reformed Dutch Church of Philadelphia, preached a notable sermon commemorative of his father's life. This sermon was published only for family circulation and so is unknown to the public. It had for its title "The Beauty of Old Age," the text being from Eccle. 12:15: "The almond tree shall flourish."

Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage's Sermon

After a graphic description of the blossoming of the almond tree in Palestine in January, when it "took on the apparel of those who dwell in 'raiment exceeding white,' so as 'no fuller on earth can white them,'" and applying it, as Solomon did, to give "the full-length portrait of an aged man" with his whitened locks, he continued:

"I have stood, for the last few days, as under the power of an enchantment. Last Friday-a-week, at eighty-three years of age, my father exchanged earth for heaven. The wheat was ripe, and it has been harvested. No painter's brush nor poet's rhythm could have described that magnificent sun-setting. It was no hurricane blast let loose, but a gale from heaven, that drove into the dust the blossoms of that almond tree.

"There are lessons for me to learn, and also for you, for many of you knew him. The child of his old age, I come to-night to pay an humble tribute to him, who, in the hour of my birth, took me into his watchful care, and whose parental faithfulness, combined with that of my mother, was the means of bringing my erring feet to the Cross, and kindling in my soul anticipation of immortal blessedness. If I failed to speak, methinks the old family Bible,[6] that I brought home with me, would rebuke my silence, and the very walls of my youthful home would tell the story of my ingratitude. I must speak, though it be with broken utterance, and in terms which may seem too strong for those of you who never had an opportunity of gathering the fruit of this luxuriant almond tree.

"First. In my father's old age was to be seen the beauty of a cheerful spirit. I never remember to have heard him make a gloomy expression. This was not because he lacked perception of the evils of society. He abhorred anything like impurity, or fraud, or double-dealing. He never

[5] As to this residence, now presented to the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey by the recent owner, Miss Caroline B. LaMonte, see the July Quarterly, pp. 232, 233. It was there inadvertently stated that "Daniel Talmage" was the father of Rev. T. DeWitt, but Col. Daniel was DeWitt's brother.—Editor.

[6] An interesting family Bible is also owned by Mr. T. H. S. Cone, of Bound Brook, which contains Van Nest and Talmage records. Mr. David Talmage, of whom his son so eloquently speaks, was accustomed to read a few verses from the Bible in the morning, and to make a prayer before the assembled household. Being called away, one day, from the breakfast table, the usual family worship was overlooked, until Cicero, a small negro servant, unable to understand the omission, tugging at his employer's sleeve, whispered: "Master, yeh done forgot to read out of the big book this morning." It is said it was the only time he had ever omitted to do so.

failed to lift up his voice against sin when he saw it. He was terrible in his indignation against wrong, and had an iron grip for the throat of him who trampled on the helpless. Better meet a lion robbed of her whelps than him, if you had been stealing the bread from the mouth of the fatherless. It required all the placidity of my mother's voice to calm him when once the mountain storm of his righteous wrath was in full blast; while as for himself he would submit to more imposition, and say nothing, than any man I ever knew.

"But, while sensitive to the wrong-doings of society, he felt confident that all would be righted. When he prayed, you could hear in the very tones of his voice the expectation that Christ Jesus would utterly demolish all iniquity, and fill the earth with His glory. This Christian man was not a misanthrope; did not think that everything was going to ruin; considered the world a very good place to live in. He never sat moping or despondent, but took things as they were, knowing that God could and would make them better. When the heaviest surge of calamity came upon him, he met it with as cheerful a countenance as ever a bather at the beach met the incoming Atlantic, rising up on the other side of the wave stronger than when it smote him. Without ever being charged with frivolity, he sang, and whistled, and laughed. He knew about all the cheerful tunes that were ever printed in old 'New Brunswick Collection,' and the 'Shumway,' and the sweetest melodies that Thomas Hastings ever composed. I think that every pillar in the Somerville and Bound Brook churches knew his happy voice. He took the pitch of sacred song on Sabbath morning, and lost it not through all the week. I have heard him sing plowing amid the aggravations of 'new ground,' about his home duties and on the street. When the church choir would break down, everybody looked around to see if he were not ready with 'Woodstock,' 'Mount Pisgah,' or 'Uxbridge.' And when all his familiar tunes failed to express the joy of his soul, he would take up his own pen, draw five long lines across the sheet, put in the notes, and then to the tune that he called 'Boundbrook' begin to sing:

> "'As when the weary trav'ler gains
> The height of some o'erlooking hill,
> His heart revives if, 'cross the plains,
> He sees his home, tho' distant still.'

"Few families fall heir to so large a pile of well-studied musical books as he left.

"He was ready, at proper times, for all kinds of innocent amusement. He often felt a merriment that not only touched the lips, but played upon every fibre of the body, and rolled down into the very depths of his soul with long reverberations. No one that I ever knew understood more fully the science of a good laugh. He was not only quick to recognize hilarity when created by others, but was always ready to do his share toward making it. Before extreme old age he could outrun and outleap any of his children. He did not hide his satisfaction at having outwalked someone who boasted of his pedestrianism, or at having been able to swing the scythe after all the rest of the harvesters had dropped from exhaustion, or at having, in the legislative halls, outrun with nimble wits and tripped up some villainous scheme for robbing the public treasury. In long winter

nights it was hard to decide who enjoyed sportiveness the better, the children who romped the floor, or the parents who, with lighted countenances, looked at them.

"His laughter was not the 'crackling of thorns under a pot,' but the 'merry heart that doeth good like medicine.' In the multitude of his witticisms there were no flings at religion, no caricatures of good men, no trifling with the things of eternity. All the children of the community knew him; and to the last day of his walking out, when they saw him coming down the lane, shouted: 'Here comes Grandfather!' If there was a bright side to anything, he always saw it; and his name, in all the places where he dwelt, will long be a synonym for exhilaration of spirit.

"But whence all this cheerfulness? Some might ascribe it all to natural disposition. No doubt there is such a thing as sunshine of temperament. God gives more brightness to the almond tree than to the cypress. No doubt constitutional structure had much to do with this cheerfulness. And by a life of sobriety, he preserved his freshness and vigor. He abhorred anything that could intoxicate, being among the first in this country to join the crusade against alcoholic beverages. The products of distillery or brewery were never poured around the roots of this thrifty almond. To the last week of his life his ear could catch a child's whisper, and at four-score years his eyes refused spectacles. Death came, not to fell the gnarled trunk of a decaying and lightning-blasted tree, but to cut down a Cedar of Lebanon, whose fall made the ground tremble and the echoes ring.

"Physical health, however, could not account for this sunshine entirely. Sixty-four years ago a coal from the heavenly altar kindled a light that shone brighter and brighter unto the perfect day. Permit Almighty grace to triumph for nearly three-quarters of a century in a man's soul, and do you wonder that he is happy? For twice the length of your life and mine he sat in the bower of promises, plucking the round, ripe clusters of Eshcol. At the wells of salvation he put his lips to the bucket that came up dripping and drank of the fresh, cool, sparkling waters of eternal life. And the joy he felt was that which, planted by a Saviour's grace, mounts up higher and higher till it breaks forth in the acclaim of the hundred and forty and four thousand who have broken their last chain and wept their last sorrow. O mighty God! How deep, how wide, how high the joy Thou kindlest in the heart of the believer!

"Secondly. We beheld in our father the beauty of a Christian faith. Let not this assurance of his continued cheerfulness give you the idea that he never had any trouble. Few men have so serious and overwhelming a life-struggle as he. Into the world he went out without means, and with scant educational opportunity. Early he chose to form an alliance with one who would not only be able to enjoy the success of life, but who would with her own willing hands help achieve it. So while father tilled his fields, and harvested his crops, mother stood for Solomon's portraiture of an ideal housewife: 'She riseth also while it is yet night, and giveth meat to her household. She layeth her hands to the spindle, and holds the distaff. She is not afraid of the snow for her household, for all are clothed with scarlet. Her children arise up and call her blessed, her husband also, and he praiseth her.'

"My father scorned not lowly duties, but did them well; he later fulfilled those assigned him in the civic world, as he loved God and kept His commandments. What is descent from a kingly line as compared with the honor of being a son of the Lord God Almighty? Faith in God upheld him through fifteen years of invalidism, fearfully struggling to support his large family. His recitals of help afforded and deliverances from trouble sounded more like romance than reality. He walked through many a desert, but every morning had its manna, and every night its pillar of fire, and every hard rock a rod that could shatter it into a crystal fountains at his feet. More than once he came to his last dollar, but right behind it found Him who owns the cattle on a thousand hills, and from whose hand all the fowls of heaven peck their food, and from whom each disciple has a warrantable deed for the whole universe, in the words: 'All are yours.'

"The path that led him through financial straits prepared him also for sore bereavements. The infant of days was smitten, and he laid it into the river of death with as much confidence as the infant Moses was laid into the Ark on the Nile, knowing that soon from the palace on high a shining one would come to fetch it.

"On an island of the sea, among strangers, almost unattended, death came to a beloved son, and though I remember the darkness that dropped on the household when the black-sealed letter was opened, I remember also the utterances of Christian submission.

"Another, bearing his own name, just on the threshold of manhood, his heart beating high with hope, falls into the dust; but above the cries of early widowhood and the desolation of that dark day, I hear the patriarch's prayer, commending children and children's children to the Divine sympathy.

"But a deeper shadow fell across the old homestead. The golden wedding had been celebrated nine years before. My mother looked up, pushed back her spectacles, and said: 'Just think of it, father! We have been together fifty-nine years!' The twain stood together like two trees of the forest with interlocked branches. Their affections had taken deep root together in many a kindred grave. Side by side in life's great battle, they fought the good fight, and won the day. But death is near to break this alliance. The reward of righteousness is ready, and its recipient is ready to be paid. But what a tearing apart! What rending up of ties! What will the aged man do without this helpmate to lean upon? Who so well understood how to sympathize and counsel? What voice so cheering as hers to conduct him over the steeps of old age? That voice which in the last moments said: 'Father, if only you and I could go together! How pleasant it would be!' But the call came for one alone an autumnal afternoon, and for the first time in all my life, on my arrival at home, I received no maternal greeting, no answering kiss, no pressure of the hand. God had taken our mother!

"In this overwhelming shock the patriarch stood confident, reciting the promises and attesting the assurances of divine goodness. He had faith! faith! faith! 'Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory!'

"Finally, I notice that my father's old age typified the beauty of Christian activity. He had not retired from the field. He had been busy

so long that idleness was not to be expected now. His faith was not the idle expectation that sits with its hands in pocket listlessly waiting, but that feeling which gathers up all its soul resources and hurls them on one grand design. He was among the first to toil in Sabbath School, and never failed to speak in praise of the institution. No storm nor darkness ever kept him away from prayer-meeting. In the neighborhood where he lived, for years he held a devotional meeting. Oftentimes the only praying man, with only a handful present, he would give out the hymn, read the lines and conduct the music and pray; then read the Scriptures, and pray again; then lead forth in the Doxology with an enthusiasm equal to one leading a thousand worshippers. He went forth visiting the sick, burying the dead, collecting alms for the poor, inviting ministers of religion to his household, in which there was, as in the house at Shunem, a little room over the wall, with bed and candlestick for any passing Elisha. He never shuddered at the sight of a subscription paper, and not a single great cause of benevolence arose within the last half century which he did not bless with his beneficence. O! this almond tree of ours which lately blossomed was not a barren one! Charity from him was not like the bursting of the famous Southern bud that fills the whole forest with its crackle; nor was it a clumsy thing like that tropical fruit which, crashing down, destroys the life of those who gather it. In his case the right hand knew not what the left hand did.

"The churches of God, in which he toiled, have arisen as one man to declare his faithfulness and to mourn their loss. In their holy war he stood at the front, and the courage that never trembled nor winced in the presence of temporal danger enabled him to dare all things for God. In church matters he was not afraid of criticism. Ordained, not by the laying on of human hands, but by the imposition of the Holy Spirit with the Saviour's love, he preached all his life—in official position, in legislative hall, in commercial circles—a practical Christianity. He showed that there was such a thing as honesty in politics. He stood for purity in politics; no stuffed ballot-boxes, no forged naturalization papers, no intoxiated voters, no lying, no surrendering of principle, no demagogueism. He called things by their right names, and what to others might be a prevarication, exaggeration, misstatement or hyperbole, was to him a *lie*. Though far from being undecided in his views, he never professed neutrality, or consorted with those miserable men who boast how well they can walk on both sides of a dividing-line and be on neither. Even in the acrimonies of an election canvass, with his name hotly discussed in public journals, I do not remember that his integrity was ever assaulted. Starting every morning with a chapter of the Bible, and his whole family around him on their knees, he forgot not, in the excitements of the world, that he had a God to serve and a heaven to win. The morning prayer came up on one side of the day and the evening prayer on the other side, and joined each other in an arch above his head, under the shadow of which he walked all day. The Sabbath worship extended into Monday's conversation, and Tuesday's bargain, and Wednesday's mirthfulness, and Thursday's controversy, and Friday's sociality, and Saturday's calculation.

"Through how many thrilling scenes he had passed! He stood, at

Morristown, in the choir that chanted when memorial services for George Washington were held. Watched the progress of the administration of John Adams. Denounced, at the time, Aaron Burr's infamy. Heard the guns that celebrated the New Orleans victory. Voted against General Jackson, but lived long enough to wish we had one just like him. Remembered when the first steamer struck the North River with its wheel-buckets. Flushed with excitement in the time of national banks and the Sub-Treasury. Was startled at the birth of telegraphy. Saw the United States grow from a speck on the world's map to a nation with a flag to which, on passing merchantmen, all others dip theirs, and a national air which has been heard on the steeps of the Himalayas.

"He was born while the Revolutionary cannon were coming home from Yorktown, and lived to hear the tramp of troops returning from the War of the great Rebellion. He lived to speak the names of eighty children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Longer than almost all his contemporaries! To me occurs the saying of aged Wilberforce that sailors drink to 'Friends astern,' until half-way across the sea, and then to 'Friends ahead.' With him it had been for a long time 'Friends ahead.' So, also, it had been with my father. Long and varied pilgrimage! Nothing but sovereign grace could have kept him true, earnest, useful and Christian through so many exciting scenes.

"From the sunrise of youth to the sunset of old age he worked unweariedly, and then in the sweet nightfall of death, lighted by starry promises, went home, taking his sheaves with him. . . .

"Now, after such a life, what sort of a death would you have expected? That God would conduct a voyager through so many storms, and then permit shipwreck coming up the harbor? Not such an One is my God and Saviour. The telegraph thrilled with tidings, north, south, east and west, that brought in the rushing rail-train his kindred together. The hour, for which this aged servant of God had waited patiently, had come, and he rejoiced with a joy at which the tongue faltered. There was no turning from side to side on the pillow, as though looking for escape from grim pursuers, but a gazing up and around, as though looking for the chariot of King Jesus. The prayer the older sons had heard him make forty years before, asking that at last he might have 'nothing to do but die,' was literally answered.

"All his children, save that one which he sent forth with his blessing a few months before, in the good ship 'Surprise,' to proclaim the glories of the Messiah on the other side of the earth, were present; some to pray; some to hold his hand; some to bathe his brow. All to watch and wait and weep and rejoice. He asked about our children. Asked about those in our pastoral care. Talked about the past. Expressed his anticipations of the future. Slept as sweetly as a child ever slept in the arms of its mother. Then, waking, broke forth with the utterance, 'Goodness and mercy have followed me all the days of my life!' The Bible, studied for so many years, now cast its light far on into the valley, until the very gate of heaven flashed upon his vision. Some one quoted the passage: 'This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.' 'Of whom I am chief,' responded the dying Christian. We said: 'To live is Christ.' He answered: 'To die

is gain,' and, lest we did not understand him, repeated: 'To die is gain!' And as if the vision grew more enrapturing, he continued to say: 'To die is gain!' Ministers of the Gospel came in, and after the usual greeting, he said: 'Pray! Pray!' We sang some of his favorite hymns, such as:

"Jesus can make a dying bed
Feel soft as downy pillows are,
While on his breast I lean my head,
And breathe my life out sweetly there."

He would seem almost to stop breathing in order to listen, and then, at the close, would signify that he remembered the old tune right well. He said: 'I shall be gone soon, but not too soon.' Some one quoted: 'Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil.' And he replied: 'Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.' 'Can you testify of God's faithfulness?' said another. He answered, 'Yes. I have been young and now I am old, yet have I never seen the righteous forsaken nor his seed begging bread.' Again and again and again he repeated: 'All is well!' Then, lifting his hand, exclaimed: 'Peace! Peace!'

"On the morning of the 27th of October, just three years from the day when the soul of his companion sped into the heavens, it was evident that the last moment had come. Softly the news came to all the sleepers in the house, and the quick glance of lights from room to room signalled the coming of the death angel. We took out our watches, and said: 'Four o'clock and fifteen minutes!' The pulse fluttered, as a tree-branch lifts and falls at the motion of a bird's wing about to cleave its way into the heavens. No quick start of pain; no glassy stare; but eyelid lightly closed and calm lip and the almond tree had reached perfection. A righteous life was crowned with its white blossoms! The gates of the earthly prison-house silently opened, wide and wider, to clear the way for the conquering spirit. Free! Shout upward the tidings! Without a moan or a sign he had passed upward into the light. 'And when Jacob had made an end of commanding his sons he gathered up his feet into the bed, and yielded up the ghost, and was gathered unto his people.'

"A clear and perfect autumnal Sabbath was Heaven's gift for his burial day. At the first flush of the dawn, we said: 'This is just the day for the burial of a Christian!' Fading leaf, indeed, under foot, told of earthly decay, but streaming sunshine assured of resurrection joy. On their staffs came tottering old comrades who, in 1812, had drilled with him in the militia, making ready for heroic strife. Came the poor, whose rent he had paid to keep their children from the blasts of winter. Came the erring men he had bailed out of prison. Came the children who had watched for his step, played with his cane, and wondered what new attraction grandfather would unfold from his deep pockets. Came the ministers of religion who had sat with him in church courts and planned for the advancement of Christianity.

"Passing along the roads where he had often gone, and by the birth-place of most of his children, we reached his resting-place just as the sun was setting in the country graveyard. Here we laid him down beside her with whom he had walked and prayed and sung and counselled for more than half a century. It seemed as though she must speak a greeting, but no voice was heard. Side by side Jacob and Rachel were buried. Let one

willow overarch their graves. Instead of two marble slabs, let there be but a single shaft, for they were one. How shall we mark it? On this side 'David, the husband and father.' On that the name of 'Catharine, the wife and mother.' On one side the date of their coming and going, and on the side still unchiseled: 'The morning cometh.' Isaiah 21:12.

"Henceforth we shall be orphans. It is a sad thing, even at manhood, to become fatherless and motherless. No one but God can make up for the loss of a father's counsel and a mother's tenderness. 'Hope thou in God!' 'Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.' Quaint John Bunyan caught a glimpse of the glorious ending of all earthly trial, when he said: 'Just as the gates were opened to let in the men, I looked in after them, and behold the city shone like the sun; the streets were also paved with gold, and in them walked many men with crowns on their heads and golden harps to sing praises withal. And after that they shut up the gates, *which when I had seen, I wished myself among them.*'"

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1782.

Oct. 13. Beeckmen, James and Selley—Selley.
Broer, Peter and Peggey—Cornelus.
Nov. 10. Smit, Jacob and Yanaty—Peter.
Cryser, John and Antye—Hendrick.

1783.

Jan. 5. Stoothoff, Petrus and Antye—Marya.
Symonsen, Cornelus and Maryte—Catryna.
Williamson, Cornelus and Steyntye—Willim.
19. Whitlock, James and Janaty—Gerrit.
Mar. 16. Piatt, Abraham and Anney—Jenney.
Brow, Mat and Henney—Josep.
Menley, Richerd and Merey—Aderayene.
30. Vandorn, Abraham and Antye—Marya.
Grigs, Samuel and Yanatye—Eida.
Apr. 13. Van Ostrand, Adreyane and Lana—Isaac.
Van Ostrand, Jores and Polly—Altye.
May 11. Grofe, Samuel and Altye—John.
Campel, Fillyp and Marya—Anne.
25. Rapelye, Jaromes and Susanna—Cornelus.
Terhune, Gerret and Nelley—Elisabet.
Willemsen, William and Annay—Femmitje.
Aug. 15. Van Buren, John and Sara—Hendrick.
Wickof, Johannes and Annatje—Johannes.
Nov. 16. Dehart, Winnant and Marya—Enney.
Dehart, Jan and Enney—Abraham.
Bert, William and Catlyna—Sara?

Dec. 11. V. Dorn, William and Marya—Marya.
21. Cock, Henry and Janaty—Jantye.
Davis?, Tommes and Enne—Enne.

1784.

Feb. 15. Funck, Josep and Polley—Catrynty.
Dehart, Cornelus and Maregretye—Mayke.
Mar. 25. Beeckman, Abraham and Antye—Abraham.
June 18. Gulick, Johannis and Lametye—Marya.
Furt, Henny and Antye—Jorge.
Hogelant, Albert and Annatye—Neltye.
20. Nevius, David and Elisabet—Antye.
Bennet, Abraham and Janatye—William.
Meselol, Borrent and Antye—Necolase.
Van Dick, Handrick and Elisabet—Jan.
Prine, James? and Annatye—Gerret.
Higens, James and Lena—Nensey.
Aug. 15. Smit, Jacob and Janatye—Jacob.
Hollenhid, John and Angenetye—Elesabet.
Willisen, Hendrick and Antye—William.
Willisen, Sartye—Antye.
Covert, Jacob and Elisabet—Magdelen.
29. Coyser, Hendrick and Catrina—Annatye.
Elleson, Dennel and Elesabet—Geertye.
Furt, Thomas and Mergret—Mercy.
Oct. 17. V. Luew, Fradrick and Gerritye—Conrate.
Willisen, William and Enney—Williem.
Bennet, Hendrick and Enney—Janatye.
Jonsen, Peter and Catryntye—Necolase.
Van Deventer, Jan and Antye—Abraham.

1785.

Jan. 16. Rapya, Jeromes and Susanna—Altye.
Slover, Jacob and Rabeca—Annatye.
Veachte, Johnnes and Polley—Johannes.
Quick, Abraham and Gerritye—Elshe.
Terhun, Gerrit and Nelly—Catrena.
May 8. Withlock, William and Sartye—Symon.
V. Dorn, Cornelus and Elesabet—Cornelus.
V. Norstrant, Jorge and Marya—Josep.
Voorhees, Johennes and Barbra—Catrynty.
V. Luew, Hendrick and Margret—Hendrick.
Witlock, James and Janatye—William.
More, Reynere and Catrena—Ida.
Wickoff, Jan and Elesabet—Cornelus.
Cortelyou, Harmanes and Catreyntye—Jan.
29. Pervost, Davet and Marya—Betshe.
Van Arsdalen, Reulief and Lena—Gerrett.
Vanarsdalen, George and Aalte—Aalte.
Aug. 14. Symonson, Cornelus and Marya—Cornelus.
Merrel, Derrick and Janatye—William.
V. Lue, Cornelus and Marya—Cornelus.

Cock, John and Dortye—Conelya.
V. De Backe(?), Andrys and Altye—Gertye.
Tunyson, Gerret and Santye (or Sartye)—Cornelus.
Wickoff, Jogom and Annatye—Marya.
Brocks, Jahenne was baptized.
V. Derver, Gerrit and Sartye—Seytye.
Dec. 23. Nevius, Davit and Elisabet—Johannes.
Merrel, Derrick and Janatye—William.
V. Lue, Cornelius and Marya—Cornelus.

1786.
Mar. 1. Voorheese, Lucas and Elesabet—Lucrecy.
Beekman, Abraham and Antye—Rolf Voorhees.
Willsen, William and Lana—Samuel.
26. Perstide, William and Paggey—Anne.
Quick, Tunes and Altye—Leyda.
June 25. Johnsen, Peter and Catryntye—Johannes.
Brower, Peter and Peggey—Josey.
Hogeland, Hendreck and Gertey—Maregrety.
Sept. 3. Gulick Abraham and Marya—Abraham.
Furt, Henniry and Anne—Jacamynte.
Hertme, Phillip and Polley—Jacob.
Williamsen, Hendrick and Anne—James.
Higens, James and Lena—William.
Breas, Gerrit and Anne—Catryn; Willim; Joshe.
Dec. 24. Van Tine, Ephrim and Anne—Ida.
Witlock, Moses and Catryna—Marya.
Fermer, Jesper and Elesabet—Marya.
Devis, Lemme (or Semme) and Anne—Jan.

1787.
Apr. 1. Voorhees, Abraham Jr. and Grace—Abraham.
Sudam, Ryck and Ragel—Peter.
Willisen, Jores and Ida—Angenetye.
Voorhees, Jacob and Lametye—Abraham.
Arsdalen, Myndert and Caryna—Abraham.
Terhune, Gerret and Nelley—Isac.
Coeycer?, Henry and Catrena—Catrena.
Terhune, Abraham and Mayeke—Albert.
Britton, Samuel and Janaty—Genny; Catryn (twins).
June 3. Nevius, Petrus and Aryyantie—Albert.
Elleson, Dennel and Elesabet—Thomas.
17. Griges, Samuel and Jenne—Willam.
Funck, Josep and Marya—Elesabet.
July. 1. Van Dorn, Jacob and Janatye—Catrena.
Vagete, John and Polley—Hendrick.
Aug. 12. Williamsen, Peter and Gertye—Geysbert.
Gulick, Abraham and Sara—Marya.
Oct. 7. Quick, Tunes and Altye (no further entry).
Nevius, Davet and Elesabet—Davet.
Dec. 30. Garner, Sarah—Eloner. Witness(?): Isaac Slover. [Uncertain if Isaac Slover a witness or otherwise].

Van Lue, Cornelius and Mary—Idaugh.
Dehart, Cornelius and Marget—Cornelius.

1788.

Jan. 1. Quick, Abraham and Gerritha—Elsher.
13. Williamson, William and Anne—Peter.
27. Wicoff, Joacam and Hany—Cornelius.
Hagaman, Adrian and Frances—Bengeman.
Feb. 10. Beckman, Abraham and Anne—Jacob.
Baker. John and Sarah—Moriah.
24. Symonsen, Abraham and Ayda—Jan.
Mar. 25. Vandorn, Abraham and Ann—Elizabeth.
Apr. 6. Whitlock, Moses and Caterine—James.
Vanderbick, Andrew and Aultye—Elizabeth.
Van Der Veer, Lucas and Ann—Sarah.
May 12. Slover, Jacob and Rebeckah—Jacob.
18. V. D. Vere(?), Tewes and wife—Peter.
Williamson, John and Margret—Isaac.
Grove, Samuel and Alche—David.
June 1. Baird, William and Catlintye—Abraham.
15. Withlock, James and Jenne—Cornelious.
29. Farmer, Jesper and Elezebeth—Nelle.
Williamson, George and Idaugh—Peter.
July 13. Coick, John and Dorthe—Areyante.
Aug. 10. Brees, Garret and Margret(?) or Mary(?)—Phebe.
Williamson, Garret and Nancy(?) or Margret(?)—Mary (or Nancy). [Names in original so entered that it is not possible to decide who was mother or child].
Sept. 21. Gulick, Abraham—Salle.
Sudam, Rike—John.
Hogeland, Hendrick—Abraham.
Nov. 2. Funck, Joseph and Mary—Geertye.
Meserul, Abraham and Ann—Agness.
16. Terhune, Dennle and Anne—Mergrit.
Lane, Jan and Lena—Altye.
Pershed, William and Maregreta—Gette.
Hogeland, Abraham and Anne—Mary.

1789.

Jan. 11. Davis, Thomas and Anne—Margeret.
25. Voorhees, Menny and Belythe—Jan.
Voorhees, Jacob and Lammethe—Jan.
Voorhees, Jarymyes and Lena—Altye.
Feb. 22. Williamson, Peter and Charity—Samuel.
Mar. 22. Gulick, Joakim and Jinne—Cornelius Cornel.
Apr. 5. Stoothoff, Cornelius and Charity—Jaques.
Voorhies, Jaques and Dinah—Jaques.
June 14. Sansbury, Ralph and Eloner—Caterene.
Aug. 9. Furt, Henery and Anna—John Davison.
Nevius, David and Elizabeth—Willimpi.
23. Baker, John and Salley—Salley.
Baker, More and Elezebeth—Joseph.

Vantine, Ephram and Anne—Peter.
Sept. 6. Gulick, Abraham and Sarah—Williampe.
— 20. Brewer, Daniel and Mary—Mary.
Kitchen, Richard and Margaret—John.
Oct. 4. Gulick, Joakim S. and Caterine—Samuel.
Nov. 1. Terhune, Abraham and Margret—Samuel.
15. Davis, Samuel and Mary—Abrm. Tucker.
Van Dyke, Hendrick and Elizabeth—Anna.
Whitlock, Moses and Caterine—Daniel.
29. Wickoff, John and Johannah—Mary.
Dec. 13. Kortelyou, Hendrick and Anne—Hendrick.
1790.
Jan. 27. Simonson, Abraham and Idaugh—Abraham.
Mar. 7. Baird, Wilam and Catey—Lelah.
Vegte, John and Mary—Isaac.
21. Van Der Veer, Lucas and Anne—Abraham.
Williamson, George and Idaugh—Lydea.
Apr. 4. Simonson, Cornelious and Mary—Mary.
May 2. Vanderbick, Andrew and Aultye—Jaquish.
Van der Veer, Mathew and Meriah—George.
16. Wickoff, Garret and Sarah—Garret.
Hogeland, Hendrick and Gite—Jaques.
Vanliewe, Cornelious and Mary—Elizabeth.
30. Addis, Richard and Jememe—Elioner.
June 27. Barracklow, Henderick and Lena—William.
July 11. Williamson, William and Anne—Agness
Sept. 5. Vanpelt, Ruben and Altye—Jenne.
Oct. 7. Baird, John and wife—Elsey, b. Oct. 7, 1779; Abraham, b. Dec. 19, 1781; William, b. Oct. 25, 1783; Janette, b. Oct. 21, 1785; Magdalany, b. July 19, 1790.
Nov. 14. Van Liewe, Frederick and Anne—Hendrick.
Stoothoff, Cornelius and Charity—Mary.
Sept. 20. Voorhees, Jaques and Dinah—John.
Sparlen, John and Margeret—Mariah.
Oct. 31. Hoagland, Derick and Mattie—Margeret.
Beekman, Abraham and Anne—Isaac.
Nov. 28. Hoagland, Abraham and Jehannah—Hannah.
Sedam, Rike and Rachel—Phebe.
Meserull, Abraham and Anna—John.
Farmer, Jasper and Elizabeth—Peter.
Dec. 26. Johnson, Nicolas and Margeret—Barrent.
1791.
Feb. 20. Davis, Thomas and Anna—William.
Provost, John and Eve—Ariette.
Collins, Evert and Mary—Ariette.
Mar. 15. Sparling, Isaac and Elezebeth—Caterine; John.
20. Sansbury, Ralph and Elenanor—Julia.
Apr. 25. Van Pelt, Abraham and Elenanor—Elenanor.
May 1. Bennet, Abraham and Charlote—Anne.
15. Gulick, Abraham and Mary—Peter.

Bastedo, William and Margeret—William.
June 12. Nevius, David and Elizabeth—James.
26. Veghte, John and Mary—Abraham.
Williamson, John and Mary—William.
Vandervear, Garret and Sarah—Sarah.
July 10. Vunk, Joseph and Mary—John.
Aug. 7. Vandoren, Abraham and Anne—Sarah.
Van Northwick, Hendrick and Anne—Caterine Cornell.
7. Gerretson, John and Phebe—Steven.
Voorheese, Jacob and Lameche—Jacob.
Sept. 18. Baird, William and Caty—Isaac; Jacob.
—Gulick, Joachim and Caty—Ram.
Baker, John and Sarah—Jemima.
Cock, John and Dorate—Andrew.
Oct. 2. Kertelyou, Hendrick, son of Hermanus, and Elizabeth—Mary.
Dehart, Abraham and Sarah—Maacha.
Terhune, Abraham and Maalha—Mary.
Demooth, Derick and Sarah—Mary.
28. Vegte, Mary, wife of John.
Nov. 13. Williamson, Jorge and Idah—Jenne.
Terhune, Daniel and Anne—Mary.
Vanderveer, John and Rachel—Joseph.
Dec. 11. Terhune, William and Mary—Garret.
25. Voorheese, Jaques A. and Sarah—Simon.

1792.

Jan. 8. Gerretson, John and Dinah—John.
Feb. 5. Vannostrant, John and Caty—Lenah.
Vanderveer, Lucas and Anne—Anne.
Hogeland, Christopher and Nelle—Abraham.
19. Johnson, Nicholas and Margeret—William.
Apr. 1. Vanderbeek, Andrew and Alche—Cornelious.
Vanpelt, Ruben and Alche—Margeret.
Sedam, Lawrence and Abigal—Phebe.
Priest, Robert and Lenah—Sarah.
May 13. Baker, More and Elizabeth—Mary.
Skilman, Jacob and Ellenor—Isaac.
June 24. Williamson, William and Anne—Abraham.
Voorheese, Jaques and Dinah—Jaques.
Van Liewe, James and Caty—Elizabeth.
Veghte, Nicholas and Althye—Garret.
Scot, William and Ammy—Samuel.
Stryker, Lucas and Sarah—Caterine.
27. Kertelyou, Hendrick and Anne—Mary.
July 22. Van Asdalen, Roeloff—Lenah.
22. Gulick, William and Lenah—Adreaan.
Simonson, Sarah, wife of Thomas—Abraham.
Aug. 5. Williamson, Hendrick and Anne—Elizebeth; Joseph.
Oct. 14. Van Liewe, Cornelious and Mary—Helanah.

Hageman, Aaron and Francis—Agness.
14. Van Ostrant, Jacob and Anne—Abraham.
26. Simonson, Cornelius and Mary—John.
28. DeHart, Cornelius and Elie—George Hogeland.
Vantine, Ephraim and Anne—Mary.
Hogeland, Derick and Metee—Phebe.
Williamson, Peter and Charity—Margret.
Gulick, Joachim and Jenne—John.
Nov. 11. Waldron, Cornelius and Janne—Anne.
Dec. 20. Nevius, Peter P. and Jenica—Sarah.
Dehart, James and Anne—John.
23. Stoothoff, Cornelius and Geertike—Johanna.

1793.
Jan. 6. Simonson, Abraham and Idah—Cornelius.
Voorheese, Jaques and Sarah—Mary.
Meseroll, Abraham and Anne—Anne Vanherlen.
Feb. 3. Dehart, Cornelius son of Corn. and Anne—Mary.
Mar. 31. Nevius and David and Elizabeth—Martines.
May 12. Furte, Hendrick and Anne—Catharin.
Williamson, Gorge and Idah—Margret.
Sedam, Ryke and Rachel—William.
Farmer, Jasper and Elizabeth—Sarah.
June 9. Voorheese, Lucas Jr. and Johannah—Isaac.
23. Gerretson, John and Phebe—Sarah.
July 7. Powel, Archebel and Sarah—Elezebeth.
Aug. 4. Kortelyou, Hendrick and Elezebeth—Hermanes. [This child's name had been crossed out, without inserting another in the original].
Davis, Thomas and Anne—Jacob Perbasco.
Veghte, John and Mary—Mary.
Bastato, William and Margeret—Catherine.
4. Kertelyou, Wilhalmus and Mary—Hendrick.
Van Liewe, John and Magdalanah—Peter.
Van Liewe, John and Anne—Dorethe.
Sept. 29. Hegemen, Peter and Anne—Sarah.
Sedeam, Lowrence and Abbe—Anne.
Oct. 13. Garretson, Rem and Elezebeth—Hendrick.
27. Slover, John and Ellenor—Elleanor.
Nov. 10. Baker, John and Sarah—Jane.
24. Gulick, Abraham and Mary—Jaques.
Yorks, Hindrick and Elezebeth—Peter.
Williamson, John and Mary—Margeret.
Kritcher, Henry and Caty—Mary.
Dec. 22. Scot, William and Ammi—John.
Nevius, Garret and Mary—Anna.
Hogeland, William and Mary—Margeret.

1794.
Feb. 2. Dehart, Abraham and Sarah—John Van Clive.
Vanpelt, Ruben and Alchiete—Gisbert Sutphin.

Vanderbeek, Andrew and Alche—Andrew.
Mar. 2. Vandervear, Lucas and Anne—Lucas Schank.
Baird, William and Caty—Robert.
30. Barkelow, Ferrington and Hannah—William.
Voorhees, Jacob and Lameche—Isaac.
Apr. 13. Johnson, Nicholas and Margeret—Abraham.
27. Scilman, Jacob and Nelley—Jacob.
Van Nortwyck, Hedrick and Nancy—Hendrick.
Aug. 10. Wyckoff, John and Johanna—John; Johannes Van Clive.
Priest, Robert and Lenah—Catherine.
Williamson, Anne.
Sept. 21. Gerretson, Rem and Elezebeth—Phebe.
Williamson, William and Anne—Lowrance Van Clive.
Cock, John and Dorrete—Abigal.
Addes, Ritcherd and Jemimi—Mary.
Van Liewe, James and Caty—Garret.
Oct. 5. Stryker, Lucas and Sarah—Caterinah.
Sparling, Isaac and Elezebeth—Abraham.
19. Hogeland, Abraham and Anne—Abraham.
Nov. 2. Hogeland, Christopher and Nelley—Peter Wyckoff.
16. Gorden, Charles and Nelly—Sarah Statts.
30. Williamson, Peter and Charity—Cornelius.
Vannostrand, Jacob and Anne—Lenah.
Wortman, Abraham and Anne—James.
Dec. 14. Nephies, David and Elezebeth—Elezebeth.
Foster, Nathiel and Hannah—Dinah Stryker.
25. Voorheese, Jaques and Dinah—Abraham.

1795.

Feb. 8. Van Clive, John and Sarah—Margereth.
19. Barkelow, Hendrick and Lenah—Frederick.
22. Gulick, Joakim and Caty—Isaac.
Meseloll, Abraham and Anne—John.
Apr. 19. Van Liewe, Cornelius and Mary—Frederick.
Hogeland, Derick and Matte—Derick.
Dehart, Cornelius and Else—Mary.
May 17. Sedam, Ryke and Rachel—Ryke.
25. Pipenger, Hendrick and Mary—Lucretia Coll.
Aug. 2. Van Hangelen, Cornelius and Elezebeth—John.
Williamson, Jorge and Idah—William.
Sedam, Laurance and Abigal—Peter.
Cortelyou, William and Mary—Abraham.
Oct. 4. Voorhees, Jaques and Sarah—Simon Wyckoff.
Nov. 8. Bastedo, William and Margereth—Margereth.
Hageman, Aaron and Frances—Wyckoff.
Veghte, Nicholas and Alche—Elezebeth
Gerertson, John and Phebe—Abraham.
Voorheese, Isaac and Sophia—John.
Van Liewe, John and Magdelanah—Magdelanah.
Baker, John and Sarah—Mary.

Voorheese, Lucas and Anne—Charrithy.

1796.

Jan. 10. Stryker, John and Nelly—John.
Hageman ,Hendrick and Lidia—Mary.
Johnson, Nicholas and Margereth—Elezebeth.
Dehart, Cornelius and Anne—Caterian.
10. Polhamus, Garret and Jenne—Daniel.
Veghte, John and Mary—Nicholas.
Feb. 21. Vanderbeek, Andrew and Alche—Ann.
Vannostrand, Jacob and Caty—John.
May 15. Furte, Henry and Anne—Sarah.
Skilman, Jacob and Nelle—Abraham.
Baker, More and Elezebeth—John.
Williamson, John and Mary—Charles Smith.
Dehart, Abraham and Sarah—Cornelius.
Williamson, Cornelius and Mary—James.
15. Slover, John and Nelle—Ritcherd.
July 3. Van Northwick, Hendrick and Nencey—Elezebeth.
Sept. 4. Williamson, William and Anne—Jane.
Pearse(?), Thomas and Elsey—Elsey.
Gulick, Benjamin and Elizabeth—John.
Nov. 20. Voorheese, Jaques and Dinah—Peter.
Nevius, David and Elezebeth—James Schureman.
Kortelyou, Hendrick and Elezebeth—Peter.
Stryker, Frederick and Suphiah—John.
Worthman, Abraham and Anne—John Duryea.
Sutphin, Peter and Martha—Margareth.

1797.

Feb. 5. Brown, Andrew and Anne—Mary Giffers.
Night, John and Jane—James.
Voorheese, Cornelius and Mary—Lucas.
Barcklo, Farrington and Hannah—Jacaminah; Elneanor.
June 25. Simonson, Cornelius and Mary—Sarah.
Sedam, Lawrence and Abigal—John.
Van Nothwick, Christian and Anne—Catherine.
Bennet, Peter and and Lideah—Jane.
Thonson or Johnson, Nicholas and Margereth—Handrick Van Dike.
Williamson, George and Idah—John Pumyea.
Kortelyou, John and Nelle—Hendrick.
Perdun, John and Anna—David Pervast.
July 9. Bastedo, William and Margereth—John Stanle.
23. Vannostrand, Jacob and Caty—Isabel.
Meserol, Jonathan and Elizabeth—Barent.
Aug. 6. Provost, David and Mary—Mary.
20. Vanderveere, Lucas and Anne—Peter.
Kortelyou, William and Mary—Hendrick.
Sept. 3. Meseroll, Abraham and Anne—William Williamson.
Voorheese, Jaques and Sarah—Abraham.
Berian, John and Sarah—Cornele.

Gulick, Joachim and Caty—Mary.
17. Beekman, Abraham and Anne—Catherin Ann.
Oct. 29. Sedam, Ryke and Rachal—Sarah.
Pohamas, Garret and Jane—Johannah.
Nov. 27. Vanderbeek, Andrew and Alche—John Barricklow.
Van Liewe, James and Caty—Catherian Cornell.
Sedam, Joseph and Elezebeth—Mary.
27. Nevius, Garret and Mary—John.
Voorheese, Isaac and Sophiah—James.
Dec. 10. Gerretson, Peter and Mary—Gerret Terhune.
24. Hogeland, Lucas and Phebe—Christopher.

1798.
Jan. 7. Fine, David and Anne—John.
Voorheese, Abraham and Else—Catherian.
11. Blackwell, Hendrick and Margereth—Margereth.
Feb. 4. Veghte, Nicholas and Alche—Mary.
Vanpelt, Alche and Sarah.
18. Addes, Ritchard and Jemima—Simon.
Cock, John and Dorethe—Jane.
28. Farmer, Jesper and Elizebeth—Sarah.
Williamson, Cornelius and Mary—Martin Jonson.
Mar. 4. Voorheese, Jacob and Lemeche—Lenah.
Apr. 1. Hogeland, Jacob and Elezebeth—Garret.
Vanderveer, Garret and Deborah—Mary Voorheese.
15. Scot, William and Ame—Marten.
May 9. Wyckoff, Jacob and Mary—Alche.
Van Liewe, John and Magdalen—Catherine.
Kortelyou, Hendrick and Elezebeth—Anna.
Whitlock, John and Lideah—Elias.
Hager, David and Charity—Mary.
May 13. Williamson, John and Mary—Margereth.
Williamson, Cornelius and Martin Johnson.
27. Vantine, Ephaim and Anne—Sarah.
June 10. Hageman, Aaron and Frances—Aaron.
Hageman, Hendrick and Lida—Christina.
Gulick, Benjamin and Elezebeth—Rebecah.
24. Dehart, Cornelius and Anne—Johnson.
July 8. Slover, John and Nelle—Mariah.
22. Dehart, Cornelius and Elce—Hedrick.
Sept. 2. Cannon, R [Rev.] James Spencer and Caty Brevort—James Stoutenberg, b. Aug. 17.
Barkelow, Cornelius and Elesebeth—John Vanburen.
16. Nevius, John and Roeliphe—Catherian Stoothoff.
Nov. 12. Atcheson, Elesebeth—John Manlius.
Sedam, Peter and Leah—Abraham.
Dec. 23. Williamson, William and Anne—Sarah.
Voorheese, Isaac and Suphiah—Nellie Hogeland.

1799.
Feb. 17. Night, John and Jane—Sarah.
Mar. 31. Williamson, Joseph and Idah—Isaac.

Apr. 14. Simonson, Cornelius and Mary—Elezebeth.
Staats, Abraham and Dorothy—Hendrick Veghte.
Gerretson, John and Dinah—Garret.
Stryker, Lucas and Sarah—Lidiah.
Stryker, Fredrick and Suphiah—Caterian Ann.
Hager, David and Charity—Elezabeth.
May 10. Nevius, David and Elezebeth—Margereth.
June 10. Nevius, Peter P. and Gerritte—Hendrick Vrom.
23. Sutphin, Peter and Martha—Abraham.
Meserol, Jonathan and Elezebeth—Elezebeth.
July 7. Bastedo, William and Margereth—Thomas Vantilburg.
21. Sedam, Lawrence and Abigal—William Williamson.
Aug. 4. Cortelyoe, William and Mary—John.
Sparling, Isaac and Elezebeth—Jacob Gilliland.
18. Pumyea, John and Jane—Agness.
Sept. 1. Vanliewe, Peter and Scythe—James Cannon.
Barricklow, Cornelius and Elezebeth—Sarah Hogeland.
15. Pumyea, Peter and Sarah—Peter.
29. Voorheese, Abraham L. and Else—John.
Vannostrand, Jacob and Caty—Catherian.
Oct. 13. Geretson, John and Phebe—Johannah.
Dehart, Uriah and Margereth—Mariah.
Nov. 24. Voorheese, Jaques and Sarah—Peter.
Dec. 22. Spader, John and Abigal—Anne

1800.

Jan. 5. Blackwell, Henry and Margereth—Mary Ann. [Dated "Jan. 5, 1780/1800"].
Scot, William and Ame—Elezebeth.
19. Nevius, John P. and Charity—Peter.
Sedam, Joseph and Elezebeth—William. [Dated "Jan. 19, 1780/1800"].
Feb. 2. Stryker, John and Nelle—Catherine Sarah Vandike.
Apr. 13. Voorheese, Jaques and Dinah—Cornelia.
Meserol, Abraham and Anne—Abraham.
Sedam, Ryke and Rachel—Cornelia Dehart.
Vanderveer, Lucas and Anne—Abigal.
—Gulick, Cornelius and Elezebeth—Maryam.
Hogeland, John and Williampe—Hendrick
May 11. Van Cleef, John and Sarah—Sarah.
Whitlock, Moses and Catherian—James Cannon.
25. Wyckoff, Jacob—Cornelius Waldrom.
June 8. Cortelyou, Hendrick and Elezebeth—Lucas.
22. Voorheese, Cornelius and Mary—Mary.
Johnson, Joseph and Rachle—Martin Johnson.
July 6. Dehart, Cornelius and Anne—John Gulick.
Veghte, Nicholas and Alche—James Lake
Whitlock, John and Lidiah—Mary Ann.
Vanderveer, Gerret and Deborah—Jane.
July 20. Simonson, Thomas and Sarah—John Van Liewe; Magdalane Van Liewe.

Aug. 3. Perdun, John and Anne—Mary.
Skilman, Jacob and Mary—John.
Skillman, Joseph and Else—Else.
Johnson, Nicholas and Margereth—Mary Ann.
Aug. —. Gulick, Benjamin and Elezebeth—Catherian.
Williamson, Cornelius and Mary—Joseph.
Sept. 14. Farmar, Jasper and Elezebeth—Verdine Elsworth.
Jay, Joseph and Elenor—Nancy Northwyck.
Williamson, John and Mary—Maria.
Schank, Garret and Caty—Sarah.
Punyea, John and Jane—Peter.
Barricklow, Christopher and Mary—Elizabeth.
Oct. 1. Gulick, John and Hannah—Abraham.
Hageman, A. and Francys—Peter.
Sperling, ——m and ——eah—John Gillin.
12. Cortelyou, John and Nelley—Sarah.
Dehart, Cornelius and Ame—Gorge.
Hageman, Aaron and Hannah—Abraham. [The whole of this entry crossed out in the original].
Quick, Abraham and Mary—Abraham.
Vliet, David and Anne—Lidia.
Hatfield, Joseph and Jane—John.
25. Rigtmire, J—s and Sarah—Jacob Vanpelt.
Garretson, Samuel and Lenah—Magdalenah.
Nov. 9. Fine, Isaac and Dezieh—John Voorhese.
Dec. 21. Cannon, Rev. James S. and Caty—Ma—Voorhees. ["Daughter, b. Nov. 24"].

1801.

Jan. 1. Vanliewe, John and Magdelen—Sarah Veghte.
18. Slover, John and Nelle—Sarah.
Nevius, Garret and Mary—Peter.
Mar. 1. Vannostrand, Jacob and Anne—Jane.
Apr. 12. Polhames, Geret and Jane—Cornelia.
Gulick, Isaac and Lehan—Abraham.
Hageman, Isaac and Mary—Sarah.
May 10. Sedam(?)—and Abby—Abraham and Isaac.
Voorheese, Abraham and A——— —Johannah Stoothoff.
24. Nev[ius], David and Elosibit—Martinas.
June 21. Nevius, John and Gitte—Sarah.
Baker, John and Sarah—More.
July 5. Vandoren, Rev. Isacc and Abigal—John Levingston.
19. Hogeland, Lucas and Phebe—John Staats.
Aug. 16. Cortelyou, ——— and Dinah—Catherian.
30. Bastedo, William and Margereth—Peter.
Staats, Abraham and Dorethe—Mariah.
Sept. 27. Scilman, Jacob and Mary—Nelle.
Oct. 13. Simonson, Abraham and Idah—Lenah, b. June 7, 1799.
Nov. 10. Stryker, Frederick and Suphiah— ——aham.
Vandike, Jacob and Sarah. [Child's name not entered].
Gay. [No further entry].

[Following are taken from loose leaves]:

1803.

July 31. Mekey, Charles and Catherine—Rebecca, b. May 21.
Blane, Thomas and Elizabeth—John, b. July 4, 1802.

Aug. 14. Howell, James and Anne Dehart—Maria, b. July 16.

14. Van Pelt, Aaron, dec'd, and Nancy Briton—Sally, b. June 20, 1793; Peggy Briton, b. Sept. 14, 1800.

Sept. 11. Gulick, Isaac and Helen Hoagland—Sarah, b. Aug. 12, 1803.

Oct. 9. Suydam, Lawrence and Abigail F.—Jacob, b. Sept. 11.

21. Van Nostrand, William and Altje Liew—Maria, b. Sept. 12.

23. Zutphen, Isaac and Maria(?)—Rulif Voorhees.

Nov. 20. Perdun, John and Anne Prevoost—John, b. Aug. 19.
Van Liew, John and Magdalena Wykoff—John Nevius, b. Sept. 27.

Dec. 4. Staats, John and Maria Stoothoff—Judith Ann, b. Oct. 26.
Nevius, David and Elizabeth Schurman—Isaac, b. Oct. 8.
Van Bueren, Peter and Elcie Coarson—William, b. Sept. 8.

14. Voorhees, Lucas J. and Sarah—Johannah.

1804.

Jan. 15. Stryker, Frederick and Sophia Van Dorn—Isaac, b. Nov. 20, 1803.

Feb. 12. Hoagland, Christopher and Petronella Wykoff—Henry Vechte.
———, Jon and ——— Schenk—Martin Schenk, b. Dec. 30, 1803.
Barcalo, Christopher and Mary Beekman—Anne.

Mar. 25. Van Nostrand, Jacob and ——— Hatfield—Maria, b. Jan. 6.

Apr. —. Hoagland, Henry and Paulison—Gertrude, b. Feb. 28.

May 20. Duryee, James and Mary Cock—John, b. Dec. 19, 1803.
Williamson, Cornelius and Mary Johnson—William, b. Dec. 6, 1803.
Williamson, David and Maria Van Pelt—Abraham, b. March 11, 1803.

June 3. Voorhees, Cornelius and Maria Gulick—John, b. May 6.
Corteljou, Wilhelmus—William.

17. Gulick, Benjamin and Elizabeth Van Dike—Joa— [a son], b. Sept. 13, 1803.
Suydam, Ryke and Rachel Merril—Derick Merril, b. Feb. 19.

Aug. 26. Addis, John and Anne McColm—Elenor, b. June 26.
Johnson, Abraham and Sarah Drake—Ann Eliza, b. July 3.
Spader, John and Abby Collins—Peter, b. July 12.
Suydam, Peter and Leah Yerks(?)—Maria, b. June 21.

Sept. 22. Skilman, Jacob and Maria Hageman—Mary Beekman, b. Aug. 26.

Nov. 4. Stothoff, Peter and Judith Zutphen—Peter, b. Oct. 2.
Pumaya, John and Jane Williamson—Ann Williamson, b. Sept. 18.
Polhemus, Garrit and Jane Hageman—Joseph, b. Sept. 23.

Blane, Thomas and Elizabeth Tombs—Elizabeth, b. Sept. 27.
Cock, John and Caty Babcock(?)—Maria, b. Oct. 11.
June 3. Bogart, Peter and Anne Nevius—Gilbert, b. May 1.
Sept. 9. Corteljou, Hendrick and Elizabeth Nevius—Maria, b. Aug. 12.

1805.
Jan. 27. Van Duyn, Cornelius and Elenor Wykoff—Dennis, b. Dec. 11, 1804.
Feb. 10. Williamson, George and Ida Pumyea—Lydia Ann, b. Dec. 15, 1804.
Corteljou, Herman and Sarah Garritsen—Johannah, b. Dec. 25, 1804.
Mar. 11. Nevius, Peter and Geertje Vrom—Addriana, b. Jan. 2.
24. Addis, Daniel and Margeret Van Dike—Simon, b. Nov. 26, 1804.
Cannon, James S. and Catherine Brevoort—William Williamson, b. Feb. 15.
Apr. 7. Garritsen, Samuel and Helena Voorhees—Peter, b. Jan. 29.
21. Hoagland, John and Wilhelmina Voorhees—John Voorhees.

SOMERSET INNHOLDERS, 1778-1799

FROM THE COURT MINUTES

IT HAS LONG been our desire to secure the names of the inns and innholders of Somerset from the time the County was formed until the year 1800. As, however, the Court Minutes prior to the January Term, 1778, were destroyed, with nearly all other County records, by the British when the courthouse at Millstone was burned in 1779, it is not possible to secure official data prior to 1778. Fortunately the Court minute book, beginning January, 1778, was, somehow, preserved.

We know of the existence of certain hotels before 1778 and occasionally of their proprietors, from other sources, but only in fragmentary way.

From January, 1778, onward, the names of the licencees of hotels are complete, or presumably so, up to the present time. Our researches, however, stop with the year 1799.

Licenses to keep inns and taverns were formerly granted on application, not by the Court of Common Pleas as now, but by the Court of Quarter Sessions (the Criminal Court). The term was for one year. The license fees were such as the Court fixed, and varied between 1778 and 1797 from $10 to $20; then the maximum was made higher. Prior to 1797 the statute under which inns were licensed was that of Mar.

15, 1738/39, as supplemented by provisions of May 10, 1768. These Acts provided for a one-year license by the Justices of the Peace who formed the Court of Quarter Sessions, the license fees being 6/— to the Court and 3/6 to the clerk. Assessors were also to assess taverns from 40/— to £3 each for the relief of the poor. The Court was also to fix the prices of liquors and entertainment. At least six freeholders were to certify to the character of the applicant and his accommodations.

On Feb. 24, 1797 (Paterson's Laws, p. 236), a new Act was passed, much the same as the previous statute, but requiring that the recommendation be by "the chosen freeholders, the commissioners of appeal and the overseers of the poor, or at least two-thirds of them, of the township or precinct" wherein the proposed tavern was situate, and the fees to be fixed by the Court were to be from $10 minimum to $70 maximum.

That there were nearly as many inns and taverns in Somerset prior to 1800 as in 1919 (when there are 42 licensed) will be evident from a survey of the names of innholders given below. In one year (1779) 41 were licensed. They usually ran in number from 24, a minimum, to 36. The reasons for the small difference between then and now are obvious. In the first place, there being no railroads (stage lines being in vogue instead), there was a need for country inns which does not now exist. In the second place, there were no other meeting-places for the public; no public halls except as the inns furnished them. In the third place it was considered the proper thing to buy and drink rum, gin, brandy, etc., especially rum; even church buildings could not be erected or funerals held without the innkeeper being called upon to supply so many gallons of rum. The spirit of 1919 seems not to be related to the spirits of Revolutionary times!

Unfortunately, the Court minutes do not disclose the location of any licensed inn, except in two or three cases; do not even name the township. Nevertheless we think the list printed below, which contains all names of innholders for twenty-two years, will not be without its value for reference purposes. It frequently happens that someone interested desires to know how long a certain inn (and many inns were noted in various ways in these early days) was kept by a particular individual, whose name and residence he knows; who may, perhaps, be his ancestor. To such this publication will prove of assistance.

The years stated show those of license. They indicate breaks, which may be attributable to one of several causes. For example, a landlord may have quit his business for a year or two and resumed it, either at the same place or elsewhere. Or the Court may have refused a license for a year because of complaints; the minutes show frequent

refusals to relicense. It is possible the minutes are occasionally defective. However, the list is given as we have found the facts, except that all names are placed in alphabetical order and the years of license grouped under each proper name. The results show there were 203 different landlords in Somerset for the period named.

Innholders from 1778 to 1799

(Dates indicate year or years of license. Where hyphens are used, it signifies that licenses were issued each year between the years stated).

Allen, Nathan, 1778, 1779.
Allen, Robert, 1778.
Alston, Thomas, 1794, 1795.
Alward, John, 1782.
Amerman, John, 1786.
Annin, Joseph, 1782, 1783.
Annin, Samuel, 1784-1788; 1791-1793; 1795.
Annin, William, 1782, 1783.
Baird, Andrew, 1792.
Baker, Elias, 1793-1797.
Baker, Moore, 1796-1799.
Bayard, Peter, 1792.
Beekman, Christopher, 1782-1785, 1787.
Bell, William, 1785, 1786.
Bennet, Abraham, 1796, 1798-1799.
Bennet, Hendrick, 1784-1786.
Bennet, Isaac, 1792-1795, 1800.
Bennet, John, 1778, 1779, 1786-1788, 1790, 1791, 1793, 1795, 1797.
Bennet, Mary, 1792.
Bergen, Christopher, 1790.
Bergen, Jacob, 1778, 1779, 1788.
Bergen, Thomas, 1795.
Berrien, John, 1900.
Bertron, Abraham, 1778, 1779, 1782-1788, 1790-1799. (Mentioned, in 1782 license as "of Bedminster twsp.").
Blew, James, 1900.
Blew (Blaw), William, 1786, 1793-1796.
Boyer, Ann, 1797.
Boyer, Peter, 1786, 1788, 1789, 1791, 1793-1797.
Boylan, John, 1778-1781.
Brewster, Timothy, 1778, 1779.
Brittain, John, 1782-1788, 1790-1795.
Brittain, William, 1778, 1779.
Brown, William, 1778.
Brush, Timothy, 1793, 1794.
Bunn, Martin, 1795.
Catterlin, Joseph, 1778, 1782, 1783.
Clark, William, 1779.
Clawson, Josiah, 1779, 1780, 1782, 1783.

Cochran, Peter, 1778, 1779.
Cock, Henry, 1782, 1783.
Combs, Elias, 1798.
Connet, Ann, 1786.
Connet, John, 1784, 1785.
Crane, Joseph, 1791-1794.
Cross, Samuel, 1791-1795.
Davis, John, 1795, 1796.
Deforest, John, 1778, 1779, 1781, 1783, 1786.
DeMott, Abraham, 1785-1787.
Dorland, Luke, 1778.
Doty, Joseph, 1792-1795; 1797, 1798.
Drake, James, 1778-1786; 1792-1799. (In 1782 known to be at New Brunswick).
Dunn, Hugh, 1784, 1785.
Dunn, Jacob, 1781, 1782.
Dunn, Jonathan, 1779.
Dunn, Reuben, 1792, 1793.
Egbert, Thomas, 1783.
Elston, Thomas, 1795.
Eoff, Christian, 1788, 1790-1793, 1795-1798.
Eoff, Jacob, 1778, 1779, 1782-1795.
Farmer, Brook, 1779.
Feurt, Gabriel, 1778-1783.
Findley, John, 1795, 1797.
Fitz-Randolph, Simeon, 1786.
Flagg, Jacob, 1778, 1779, 1785-1788, 1790-1793, 1795-1798.
Garrison (Gerritson), Garret, 1778-1780, 1786.
Garritson, Richard, 1788.
Gaston, Joseph, 1791-1795.
Godwin, David, 1798.
Goldtrap, John, 1778-1780, 1783-1785.
Gulick, John, 1791-1793.
Hall, Joseph, 1795, 1796.
Hamilton, David, 1791-1793, 1795.
Hamilton, William, 1795.
Harpending, Peter, 1790-1795.
Harrison, Amy, 1797, 1798.
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Henry, James, 1795.
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Herpel, Chris., 1778.
Hooper, Nicholas, 1798.
Hoppock, Jacob, 1798.
Howell, David, 1779.
Hunt, Anne, 1785-1787.
Hunt, Samuel, 1784.
Hunt, Stephen, 1779, 1782-1784, 1788.
Jerolomon, John, 1782-1784.

Johnson, Abner, 1796-1799.
Johnston, Thomas, 1780, 1782.
Jones, William, 1778, 1779, 1782-1788, 1795, 1797, 1798.
Laboyteau, Joseph, 1784.
Lake, Susannah, 1778, 1779.
Lane, John, 1790, 1791.
Lane, Matthias, 1795.
Laurance (Lowrance), Abraham, 1792-1796.
Lewis, John, 1797-1799.
Little, Robert, 1783, 1785.
Low, Cornelius and Jacob, 1797, 1799.
Low, Ephraim, 1798, 1799.
Ludlow, John, 1780.
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Mariner, William, 1782, 1783.
Martin, Ephraim, 1781.
McCrea, James, 1779.
Meldrum, John, 1795, 1797, 1798.
Melick, John, 1784-1788. (In Bedminster, 1784).
Merril (Merrol), Richard, 1791, 1792.
Merrill, William, 1779.
Merseiles, John, 1778, 1782.
Merserol, Abram, 1791.
Mershon, Andrew, 1779, 1782-1788, 1790, 1791, 1793, 1795.
Milligen, James, 1791-1793.
Milligen, Margaret, 1796.
Morgan, Joseph, 1794.
Myers, John, 1782.
Nefius, Jacob, 1789.
Nevill, Charles, 1790.
Nevius, Alfred, 1795.
Orrie, John, 1788.
Palmer, ———, 1795.
Parker, Job, 1796.
Parsell, Robert, 1796.
Pells, William, 1787.
Perrine, Peter, 1782, 1783.
Perry, Samuel, 1797.
Phenix, John, 1778, 1779.
Philips, Noah, 1795.
Piatt, Abraham, 1782, 1783.
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Porter, Charity, 1778.
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Porter, Nathaniel, 1779, 1780, 1782-1787, 1791, 1793.
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Powers, John, 1795.
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Price, Hezekiah, 1786.
Probasco, Simon, 1785, 1786.

Reading, John, 1785.
Robinson, Robert, 1782, 1783.
Sansbury, Elinor, 1790.
Sansbury (Stansbury), Ralph, 1790-1794, 1796-1799.
Sansbury, Richard, 1785-1788.
Seabury, Nathaniel, 1795, 1797.
Sharp, Mat., 1778, 1779, 1782.
Shaw, Adam, 1790-1794, 1796.
Skillman, Abram, 1790-1792.
Skillman, Benjamin, 1778-1783, 1785, 1786, 1788, 1789, 1791-1795, 1797, 1798.
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Slover, Isaac, 1784-1788, 1790-1795, 1797, 1798.
Smalley, David, 1798.
Smock, John, 1779, 1782, 1784, 1785, 1789.
Spader, Brogun, 1788.
Spader, Isaac, 1796.
Spader, John, 1780-1787, 1789, 1793-1795.
Staats, Cornelius, 1786-1788, 1790-1792.
Staats, Peter, 1782-1785, 1793.
Stack, Daniel, 1791.
Steel, John, 1795.
Stockton, Robert (house), 1785.
Stout, Levi, 1785.
Streight, Leonard, 1778.
Styres, Daniel, 1779.
Sutphen (Sutfen), John, 1780, 1783-1788.
Swan, Nathaniel, 1782.
Taylor, Ann, 1789.
Taylor, Elisha, 1788.
Taylor, Willet, 1795.
Teeple, John, 1778, 1779, 1782-1787.
Todd, John, 1795 (At Lamington).
Todd, William, 1795.
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Van Dike, Ferdinand, 1784.
Van Doren, Jacob, 1795.
Van Duyn, John, 1797, 1798.
Van Kirk, Thomas, 1792.
Van Middleswart, Andrew, 1795.
Van Noordstrandt, I. V., 1778.
Van Nordstrandt, John, 1784-1788.
Van Nuys, Cornelius, 1785.
Van Tilburgh (Van Tilbury), William, 1791-1798.
Verbryck, William, 1788, 1790.

Vernon, Elizabeth, 1782.
Vernon, Nehemiah, 1792-1798.
Voorhees, Derick, 1778, 1779.
Voorhees, James, 1794-1796.
Voorhees, John, 1782-1788, 1790.
Waters, Silas, 1788, 1789.
Wells, Thomas, 1784, 1788.
Whallon, James, 1798.
Whillorn (Whallon?), James, 1790.
White, Mary, 1782-1788, 1790.
Whitlock, James, 1778-1780, 1782-1786, 1791.
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Talmage, David and Catharine Van Nest, Dec. 19, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Talmage, Jehiel and Lititia Stryker, Mar. 13, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Talmage, Jeremiah and Margaret Teeple, April 5, 1841 (Rodgers).
Talmage, John and Mary Kinney, June 4, 1811 (Finley).
Talmage, John F. and Isabella Van Syckle, Apr. 25, 1865 (Romaine).
Tallmage, John H. and Mary C. Nixon, Sept. 13, 1866 (Messler).
Talmage, John R. V. and Eliza Blazier, May 16, 1847 (Harris).
Talmage, Ruliff and Hannah Ayres, Oct. 29, 1837 (English).
Talmage, Thomas and Sophia Van Veghten, May 20, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Talmage, T. Van Pelt and Madaline V. N. DeForrest, Dec. 7, 1853 (Messler).
Talmage, Van Nest and Laura A. Grant, April 25, 1866 (Rodgers).
Tay, John and Betsey Lyon, Oct. 17, 1798 (Arrowsmith, J. P.).
Taylor, Andrew and Christiana Bunn, April 11, 1816 (Galpin).
Taylor, David L. and Catharine Dumond, Jan. 15, 1818 (Hardenbergh).
Taylor, Francis and Emma F. Brailey, Sept. 22, 1860 (Campfield).
Taylor, Francis and Isabella Van Dyck, Oct. 20, 1866 (Mesick).
Taylor, Gilbert and Lydia Annin, Aug. 19, 1819 (Brownlee).
Taylor, James and Catharine Whitenack, Oct. 17, 1820 (Vredenburgh).
Taylor, James and Mary Ann Lawson, Jan. 11, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Taylor, James and Ellen Demond, April 16, 1833 (Messler).
Taylor, James and Jane Wilson, Feb. 27, 1850 (Craven).
Taylor, James A. and Catharine B. Digbee, July 2, 1854 (Van Doren).
Taylor, John G. and Mariah Nighmaster, Feb. 22, 1832 (Dumont, J. P.).
Taylor, John S. and Maria Van Dorn, May 14, 1870 (Mesick).
Taylor, John W. and Rachel Smith, Oct. 17, 1844 (Chambers).
Taylor, Jonathan C. and Elizabeth L. Mundy, Apr. 9, 1862 (Rodgers).
Taylor, M. and Mary Cool, Sept. 5, 1802 (Studdiford).
Taylor, Philip P. and Phebe A. Lane, Mar. 30, 1874 (Pitcher).

Taylor, Samuel and Betty Van Derveer, Aug. 2, 1833 (Fisher).
Taylor, Samuel W. and Catharine Stout, Nov. 17, 1855 (Romeyn).
Taylor, William and Ann Stryker, Oct. 8, 1834 (Zabriskie).
Taylor, William and Elizabeth Miller, April 25, 1850 (Rodgers).
Taylor, William and Rachel Ann Dorn, Mar. 30, 1867 (Thompson).
Taylor, William Emery and Sarah Elizabeth Grover, Feb. 14, 1863 (Beldon).
Taynor, Daniel C. and Susan Pangborn, Nov. 30, 1862 (Mabie, J. P.).
Taynor, John and Abigal Long, Jan. 18, 1820 (Boggs).
Taynor, John S. and Mary Bidle, June 5, 1812 (Smalley).
Teal, William and Sarah Morford, Dec. 5, 1800 (Snowden).
Tearney, Patrick and Julia Lee, June 3, 1860 (Dodd).
Teed, Benjamin and Rachel Collins, June 3, 1821 (Watson).
Teeple, John W. and Sarah J. Van Derveer, Sept. 11, 1859 (Cornell).
Teeple, Peter and Catharine Clawson, Feb. 15, 1820 (Hardenbergh).
Teeple, William and Ann Tunison, Mar. 26, 1806 (Thelly).
Teeple, William W. and Mary Ann Brees, Feb. 6, 1845 (Harris).
Temple, William and Mary McKown, Nov. 23, 1825 (Labagh).
Ten Brook, Garret and Etta Dumont, Mar. 26, 1803 (Studdiford).
Ten Brook, George and Josephine Garretson, June 15, 1876 (McWilliam).
Ten Brock, John and Sarah Ann DeForest, Feb. 9, 1834 (Wilson).
Tenbrook, John and ———, Jan. 24, 1846 (Gardner).
Tenbrook, Prime and Amelia Jennings, (Col'd) Mar. 12, 1870 (Stryker, J. P.).
Ten Broeck, Ralph Van Dyke and Jane T. Beekman, Mar. 2, 1859 (Reiley).
Tenbrook, Rumus and Jane Wallace, Jan. 1, 1850 (Shann, J. P.).
Ten Brock, William and Julia Matthews, June 5, 1834 (Rice).
Ten Eyck, Abraham and Helena Simonson, Aug. 3, 1788 (Studdiford).
Ten Eyck, Abraham and Mary Schenck, Sept. 19, 1816 (Vredenburgh).
Ten Eyck, Abraham and Margaret Blackwell, Oct. 12, 1820 (Galpin).
Ten Eyck, Abraham and Elizabeth B. Quick, Nov. 26, 1842 (Ludlow).
Ten Eyck, Abraham A. and Elizabeth Jane McDowell, Apr. 25, 1848 (McDowell).
Ten Eyck, Abraham W. and Mary Pumyea Garretson, Feb. 10, 1859 (Cornell).
Ten Eyck, Andrew and Mary Ten Eyck, Mar. 10, 1790 (Studdiford).
Ten Eyck, Andrew and Jane Van Nostrand, Feb. 16, 1837 (Zabriskie).
Ten Eyck, Andrew and Adaline Davis, Nov. 3, 1841 (Zabriskie).
Ten Eyck, Cornelius and Helen Williams, Aug. 5, 1864 (Parsons).
Ten Eyck, Cornelius and Sarah A. Ball, Nov. 25, 1869 (Pool).
Ten Eyck, Edward W. and Catharine Maria Little, Nov. 2, 1862 (Doolittle).
Ten Eyck, Elijah and Martha L. Harris, Nov. 12, 1863 (Mesick).
Ten Eyck, Ferdinand V. D. and Sarah Miller, Apr. 23, 1834 (Fisher).
Ten Eyck, Frederick and Rebecca E. L. Van Camp, Nov. 7, 1833 (Ludlow).
Ten Eyck, George and Rebecca Davison, Mar. 25, 1871 (Gardner).
Ten Eyck, Henry and Ann Elizabeth Sloan, Nov. 17, 1842 (Blauvelt).

Ten Eyck, Henry and Margaret W. McCollough, Dec. 31, 1856 (Cornell).
Ten Eyck, James, Jr., and Mary Wyckoff, Feb. 21, 1832 (Wilson).
Ten Eyck, James V. D. and Catharine V. A. Vossler, Nov. 3, 1864 (Mesick).
Ten Eyck, John and Mary Ann Cortelyou, Jan. 1, 1833 (Ludlow).
Ten Eyck, John and Jane Runk, Dec. 14, 1837 (Wilson).
Ten Eyck, John and Maria Van Derveer, Oct. 27, 1847 (Messler).
Ten Eyck, John M. Schenck and Harriet Maybon Messler, Oct. 9, 1861 (Messler).
Ten Eyck, John V. D. and Mary Jane Honeyman, Oct. 12, 1858 (Blauvelt).
Ten Eyck, Matthew and Cornelia Post, April 19, 1796 (Studdiford).
Ten Eyck, Peter and Jane Van Pelt, Feb. 9, 1834 (Wilson).
Ten Eyck, Richard and Jane Todd, Jan. 4, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Ten Eyck, Richard and Susannah Bergen, Mar. 9, 1833 (Wilson).
Ten Eyck, J. S. and Lizzie Van Derveer, Mar. 17, 1858 (LeFevre).
Ten Eycke, Tunis J. and Rebecca Hammer, May 26, 1817 (Galpin).
Tentlinger, Casper Benjamin and Barbara C. Keidling, April 20, 1867 (Messler).
Terhune, Henry S. and Elizabeth Beekman, Jan. 30, 1863 (Gardner).
Terhune, Stephen and Sarah Stryker, Nov. 16, 1816 (Labagh).
Terhune, Thomas Skillman and Ann Skillman, Oct. 29, 1840 (Talmage).
Terhune, William and Caroline Opie, Mar. 4, 1852 (Gardner).
Terhune, William Henry and Martha Stryker, Jan. 28, 1863 (Romeyn).
Terraberry, Elias and Nancy C. Eyck, Sept. 28, 1870 (Messler).
Terrell, Drake and Elizabeth Stelle, Aug. 28, 1830 (Cox).
Terrell, Edward D. and Almira Lawler, Mar. 9, 1865 (Bellis, J. P.).
Terrell, Madison and Mary Stelle, Jan. 7, 1832 (Cox).
Terrell, Squire and Rebecca Kirkpatrick, Dec. 1, 1819 (Brownlee).
Terrey, Arsemus, Jr., and Sarah E. Sanders, Jan. 6, 1856 (Rankin).
Terwilliger, James H. and Hester Fulkerson, Oct. 8, 1868 (Mesick).
Testur, Samuel and Sarah Grey, Oct. 3, 1846 (Ludlow).
Teter, Nelson W .and Mary Miller, Jan. 10, 1862 (Van Doren).
Tharp, Matthew and Elizabeth Jobs, Feb. 25, 1824 (Galpin).
Tharp, William N. and Mary Jane Smith, May 11, 1850 (Shrope).
Thatcher, Jacob and Mary Carkhuff, Oct. 16, 1830 (Ludlow).
Thatcher, Jacob and Catherine Case, Apr. 5, 1871 (Mesick).
Thatcher, Jesse and Kate R. Wood, Jan. 22, 1865 (Voorhees).
Thatcher, John W. and Sarah A. Hall, Dec. 19, 1877 (Hart).
Thatcher, Peter and Ann D. Ten Eyck, Oct. 21, 1852 (Ludlow).
Thielemann, Emanuel and Anna Maria Daume, Feb. 25, 1860 (Neef).
Thomas, Abram and Nettie Randall, June 14, 1873 (Blauvelt).
Thomas, Frank and Gane Williams (Col'd), Oct. 3, 1872 (Mann).
Thomas, George Webb and Elizabeth Sales, June 25, 1866 (Snyder).
Thomas, John P. and Mary Elizabeth Dunham, Sept. 28, 1841 (Messler).
Thomas, Samuel and Ida Ann Stryker, Sept. 11, 1853 (Gardner).
Thomas, William and Elizabeth Rulman, Oct. 11, 1821 (Watson).
Thomas, ——— and Mary ———, Mar. 26, 1834 (Messler).
Thompson, Aaron J. and Anna L. Rarick, Aug. 27, 1861 (Thompson).

Thompson, Charles and Mary Finley, Jan. 29, 1840 (Blauvelt).
Thompson, Cyrenus and Polly Christopher, Feb. 4, 1813 (Zabriskie).
Thompson, David and Mary Elizabeth Ballentine, Feb. 10, 1864 (Rankin).
Thomson, Edward and Dinah Brokaw, Jan. 29, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Thompson, Garret and Mary Voorhees, July 25, 1801 (Vredenburgh).
Thompson, Isaac S. and Lizzie V. Tunison, Nov. 15, 1877 (Pitcher).
Thompson, Jacob F. and Mary Wise, May 17, 1838 (Blauvelt).
Thompson, James and Catharine Jane Stryker, Sept. 16, 1847 (Ludlow).
Thompson, James and Elizabeth O'Neil, Nov. 28, 1850 (Harris).
Thompson, John and Elizabeth Morehead, May 26, 1807 (Studdiford).
Thompson, John and Caroline Avert, Nov. 25, 1840 (Van Doren).
Thompson, John and Susan R. Guerin, June 10, 1847 (Harris).
Thompson, John L. and Amelia L. Hill (no date) (Pitcher).
Thompson, John M. and Kate J. B. Conklin, Mar. 27, 1867 (LeFevre).
Thompson, Joseph and Julia Davis, Jan. 28, 1854 (Rodgers).
Thompson, J. Hardy and Lucinda Hughy, July 25, 1871 (Doolittle).
Thompson, J. Thomas and Ellen E. Anderson (widow), Jan. 26, 1870 (Doolittle).
Thompson, Peter S. and Ann Davis, Nov. 8, 1834 (Ludlow).
Thompson, Peter S. and Mary M. E. Davis, Oct. 25, 1871 (Ludlow).
Thompson, Prime and Alletta Wyckoff, July 30, 1863 (Gardner).
Thompson, Robert and Nancy Nicholas, Dec. 17, 1807 (Finley).
Thompson, Samuel C. and Jane E. Van Dorn, Mar. 10, 1870 (Messler).
Thompson, Saul and Jane Schenck, Nov. 4, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Thompson, William and Elizabeth Voorhees, Mar. 22, 1797 (Studdiford).
Thompson, William and Caroline Reynolds, May 29, 1845 (Harris).
Thompson, William H. and Helena Dally, Nov. 23, 1870 (Pitcher).
Thompson, William V. N. and Maria S. Quick, Oct. 27, 1847 (Messler).
Thorn, James, Jr., and Mary Cadmus, Aug. 15, 1833 (Bond).
Thornhill, Robert and Ann Barrington, Jan. 20, 1857 (Nice).
Thornton, Byron, M. D. and Martha B. Dunham, Feb. 24, 1864 (Blauvelt).
Tiger, Abraham and Elsey Wyckoff, Dec. 15, 1824 (Fisher).
Tiger, Christopher and ——— Lane, June 7, 1840 (Blauvelt).
Tiger, Christopher and Angeline Hass, Dec. 1, 1852 (Brush).
Tiger, Henry H. and Catharine Louisa Cole, July 24, 1859 (Thompson).
Tiger, Jacob and Sophia D. Philhour, Feb. 25, 1841 (Schenck).
Tyger, John and Mary Smith, Jan. 11, 1815 (Hardenbergh).
Tiger, Nicholas and Jane Ditmars, Mar. 13, 1830 (Fisher).
Tiger, Peter and Sarah Hall, March 27, 1817 (Hardenbergh).
Tiger, William and Elizabeth Lattourette, Mar. 30, 1854 (Brush).
Tilyon, Joseph F. and Elsy Willis, May 27, 1844 (Anderson, J. P.).
Tillman, John and Agnes Young, Feb. 22, 1844 (Messler).
Tingley, Abel S. and Rebecca McCullough, Sept. 3, 1835 (Fisher).
Tingley, Daniel and Catharine Cook, Oct. 2, 1813 (Finley).
Tingley, David and Jane Stelle, Aug. 21, 1847 (Cox).

Tingley, Ebenezer and Cornelia Ann Brokaw, June 21, 1847 (Zabriskie).
Tingley, Joseph B. and Susan M. Stelle, Feb. 4, 1875 (Clark).
Tingley, P. S. and Ruth A. Poulson, Sept. 27, 1871 (Pool).
Tingley, William and Polly Carr, Feb. 20, 1812 (Finley).
Tipaire, M. and Ann McMichael, Feb. 9, 1800 (Snowden).
Tittsworth, Reuben and Maria M. Hill, May 14, 1865 (Morse).
Titus, Jacob R. and Rebecca V. Wyckoff, Apr. 20, 1861 (Romeyn).
Titus, Theophilus and Eleanor Van Nest (Recorded May 5, 1870) (Mann).
Titus, William and Sarah Ann Elbertson, June 28, 1851 (Ludlow).
Tobey, Robert G. and Frances D. L. Happer, Feb. 4, 1867 (Rodgers).
Todd, Rev. Augustus F. and Meribah Toms, Sept. 8, 1858 (Messler).
Todd, Augustus W. and Henrietta Biggs, Feb. 2, 1870 (Pool).
Todd, Daniel and Sarah Emmons, Feb. 16, 1839 (Blauvelt).
Todd, David and Phebe Doren, Sept. 20, 1811 (Hardenbergh).
Todd, David and Mary Smalley, Mar. 25, 1833 (Cox).
Todd, David H. and Sarah H. Stevens, Jan. 10, 1861 (Brush).
Todd, David M. and Caroline Wolfe, Oct. 8, 1863 (Thompson).
Todd, Francis and Rachel Beekman, Feb. 10, 1838 (Ludlow).
Todd, George and "Widow" Gaston, April 15, 1819 (Galpin).
Todd, James and Betsey Anderson, Nov. 30, 1805 (Finley).
Todd, James and Margaret Cook, Dec. 31, 1840 (Blauvelt).
Todd, James M. and Lydia A. Van Arsdale, Dec. 20, 1855 (Brush).
Todd, John and Ann Cosner, Nov. 15, 1810 (Vredenburgh).
Todd, Peter and Betsey Liddle, Nov. 3, 1839 (Messler).
Todd, Phillip E. and Isabelle A. McMurtry, Mar. 12, 1870 (Thompson).
Todd, Richard and Florant Somerset, Apr. 20, 1847 (Blauvelt).
Todd, Richard and Alletta Henry, Dec. 11, 1852 (Blauvelt).
Todd, Thomas and Sarah Whitehead, Dec. 25, 1830 (Fisher).
Todd, William and Catharine Hunt, Dec. 9, 1812 (Finley).
Todd, William and Ann Castner, June 22, 1813 (Hardenbergh).
Todd, William and Catharine McLure, Jan. 2, 1820 (Galpin).
Todd, William and Rosanna Miller, Feb. 24, 1821 (Galpin).
Todd, William and Rebecca Crawford, June 7, 1827 (Van Kleek).
Toehtermann, Charles and Margaret Muny, July 21, 1870 (McWilliam).
Tom and Dinah, Aug. 21, 1819 (Galpin).
Tom and Mattie, Dec. 23, 1821 (Galpin).
Tomlinson, Charles and Caroline Borden, Feb. 5, 1874 (Messler).
Tomlinson, John C. and Sallie Conover, May 25, 1859 (Rodgers).
Tomlinson, Joshua and Sarah E. Hutchings, Dec. 27, 1848 (English).
Toms, Clarkson and Cornelia Nevius, Nov. 6, 1839 (Demarest).
Toms, John C. and Patience Jennings, Dec. 25, 1847 (Cox).
Toms, Runyon and Ariet Peterson, Oct. 6, 1836 (Ludlow).
Totten, Abraham and Ann Smith, Dec. 10, 1835 (Messler).
Totton, John and Jane Gardiner, Jan. 17, 1806 (Finley).
Totten, John S. and Caroline B. Packer, Sept. 29, 1840 (Ludlow).
Totten, Lafford and Sarah Cortelyou, Oct. 28, 1862 (Gardner).
Totten, William and Mary L. Van Cleef, Aug. 30, 1863 (Nelson).

Towland, John and Charity Gorden, Nov. 11, 1818 (Anderson).
Townsend, George and Eliza Legrange Terhune, July 20, 1833 (Heermans).
Trainor, Charles and Mary Ann Gordan, Aug. 31, 1856 (Cornell).
Trappagen, Henry and Letty Hageman, June 25, 1817 (Galpin).
Traphagen, Henry D. and Margaret Wyckoff, Oct. 11, 1807 (Studdiford).
Traphagen, J. S. and Agnes Mattison, Sept. 27, 1847 (Gardner).
Traphagen, Peter S. and Sophia Ween, Oct. 1, 1840 (Blauvelt).
Tremly, Isaac and Ariantje Voseler, July 9, 1811 (Vredenburgh).
Trim, John and Elizabeth Carle, Oct. 28, 1795 (Ewing).
Trimmer, Jacob and Hannah Willets, Feb. 6, 1819 (Galpin).
Trimer, James and Catharine Stout, Jan. 12, 1841 (Voorhees).
Trimmer, Peter and Minerva L. Moore, Mar. 19, 1862 (Rankin).
Trimer, Sylvester and Dorcas Smith, Nov. 4, 1848 (English).
Trimer, William A. and Elizabeth Willis, July 10, 1848 (Gardner).
Trnair (?), John G. K. and Mrs. Harriet Prall, June 13, 1877 (Mesick).
Trout, John and Mary Ann Williamson, Jan. 1, 1851 (Gardner).
Trout, John S. and Anna Rebecca Wolverton, Feb. 24, 1853 (Carrell).
Troutmann, Seymour C. and Ann Field Ten Eyck, Sept. 13, 1843 (Messler).
Truehart, Aaron and Catharine Peterson, Jan. 18, 1858 (Carrell).
Trumpore, John and Ellen J. Quick, Mar. 20, 1867 (Ludlow).
Trust, Hermann and Mary Igel, Aug. 4, 1861 (Neef).
Truth, Selah Woodhull and Ann Garretson, Jan. 8, 1840 (Zabriskie).
Tucker, Burr and Sarah Ann Hulbert, June 5, 1844 (Rodgers).
Tuhum (Terhune?), Cornelius and Phebe Ten Eyck, Oct. 7, 1802 (Snowden).
Tunis, William L. and Mary A. Cross, Jan. 4, 1866 (Rankin).
Tunison, Abraham and Elizabeth Wortman, Oct. 10, 1808 (Hardenburgh).
Tunison, Abraham and Mary Williamson, July 21, 1815 (Furguson).
Tunison, Abraham and Nancy Layton, Oct. 19, 1822 (Fisher).
Tunison, Abraham and Eliza Treman, May 1, 1846 (English).
Tunison, Andrew M. and Phebe Winans, July 25, 1833 (Messler).
Tunison, Bernardus L. and Alida Voorhees, Oct. 14, 1830 (Van Kleek).
Tunison, Cornelius and Judith Ten Eyck, June 11, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Tunison, Cornelius and Eliza Ann Winans, Dec. 31, 1833 (Rodgers).
Tunison, Cornelius I. and Eliza Hoff, Nov. 23, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Tunison, Dennis and Oriann Wintersteen, Dec. 15, 1824 (Fisher).
Tunison, George and Angeline Naylor, Feb. 22, 1854 (Ludlow).
Tunison, George Vroom and Hannah Elizabeth Summers, April 3, 1865 (Cornell).
Tunison, Harmon H. and Sarah E. Perrine, Feb. 7, 1863 (English).
Tunison, Henry and Sarah Castner, Dec. 24, 1805 (Woodhull).
Tunison, Henry and Mary Stryker, June 5, 1830 (Ludlow).
Tunison, Henry and Susan L. Wortman, Jan. 21, 1854 (Brush).
Tunison, Henry P. and Magdalena P. Dally, May 14, 1872 (Pitcher).
Tunison, Henry S. and Elizabeth Hulsizer, Sept. 7, 1867 (Pool).

Tunison, James B. and Elida Thompson, Sept. 4, 1875 (Doolittle).
Tunison, James C. and Eliza Ann Perine, Sept. 3, 1864 (Bellis, J. P.).
Tunison, John and Sarah Moffot, Dec. 19, 1801 (Finley).
Tunison, John and Rebecca Van Duyn, Sept. 22, 1819 (Boggs).
Tunison, John and Rebecca J. Van Fleet, Nov. 19, 1831 (Ludlow).
Tunison, John and Jane Ann Voorhees, Jan. 7, 1836 (Messler).
Tunison, John C. and Hannah Barcalow, July 30, 1848 (Messler).
Tunison, John P. and Adeline Woods, March 13, 1834 (Rodgers).
Tunison, Matthias and Eliza Hall, Aug. 31, 1817 (Hardenbergh).
Tunison, Peter L. and Emma Hohman, June 22, 1873 (Dutcher).
Tunison, Peter T. E. and Eliza Ten Eyck, Sept. 14, 1837 (Wilson).
Tunison, Philip and Nancy McCain, May 31, 1807 (Finley).
Tunison, Philip and Almy Vroom, Dec. 14, 1815 (Hardenbergh).
Tunison, Philip and Ann McLean, Sept. 3, 1826 (Boggs).
Tunison, Philip and Garretta Jane Dally, Dec. 4, 1851 (Campbell).
Tunison, Philip and Catharine V. N. Wortman, Feb. 24, 1853 (Brush).
Tunison, Richard and Jennet Whitehead, Sept. 30, 1832 (Wilson).
Tunison, Richard and Mary Elizabeth Sullard, Mar. 16, 1848 (Van Neste).
Tunison, Samuel and Eliza Schenck, Feb. 22, 1859 (Craven).
Tunison, Tunis and Jane Mason, May 17, 1844 (Rodgers).
Tunison, William and Susan Bateman, Feb. 28, 1824 (Galpin).
Tuttle, John and Ann C. Mullen, Nov. 25, 1874 (Pool).
Tuttle, Lewis and Elizabeth Kibet, Feb. 7, 1821 (Brownlee).
Tuttle, Capt. William and Mary Miller, May 5, 1823 (Brownlee).
Turner, Abraham and Charlotte B. Richardson, Mar. 8, 1862 (Rodgers).
Turner, George D. and Mary Fannie Boynton, June 1, 1869 (Dutcher).
Turner, Martin L. and Henrietta C. Beach, Nov. 16, 1869 (Carter).

Letter U

Ulick, Peter and Catharine Williamson, Nov. 27, 1811 (Zabriskie).
Umpleby, John W. and Jane Field Stout, Mar. 8, 1864 (LeFevre).
Umstead, James and Margaret Yawger, Jan. 28, 1871 (Blauvelt).
Underdonk, James and Ann Eliza Van Arsdalen, June 8, 1830 (Van Kleek).
Updike, Court W. and Catharine E. Eick, Nov. 23, 1844 (Talmage).
Updike, Jacob and Theodosia Grover, Mar. 13, 1800 (Snowden).
Updike, Johnson and Ann Williamson, Sept. 20, 1814 (Labagh).
Updyke, J. W. and Helena B. Whitlock, Jan. 15, 1868 (Gardner).
Updike, Levi and Theodosia Grover, June 10, 1801 (Snowden).
Updyke, Theodore and Emeline Applegate, Feb. 11, 1835 (Rice).
Updyke, William and Catharine Duncan, Oct. 30, 1868 (Gesner).
Upson, Dr. Jesse and Polly Dayton, Sept. 22, 1807 (Finley).
Urquehart, George and Sarah Pittenger, July 8, 1797 (Studdiford).

Letter V

Vactor, John and Susan Gumber, July 31, 1867 (Crane).
Vactor, Silas and Ann Titus, June 2, 1836 (Rice).
Vail, Alexander and Betsy Kirkpatrick, Mar. 4, 1809 (Finley).

Vail, Alexander and Sarah M. Sebring, Oct. 23, 1827 (Boggs).
Vail, Alexander and Sarah Ann Southard, Sept. 13, 1834 (Maynard).
Vail, Charles E. and Mercy Vail, Mar. 6, 1875 (Verdon, J. P.).
Vail, Daniel and Dinah Van Doren, Jan. 16, 1805 (Studdiford).
Vail, Daniel and Eliza Ann Ward, Mar. 11, 1846 (Rodgers).
Vail, Edward and Ann Vail, Dec. 2, 1845 (English).
Vail, Emer K. and Rebecca Warden, Oct. 18, 1845 (Morton, J. P.).
Vail, Isaac and Agnes Cooper, Dec. 12, 1818 (Brownlee).
Vail, Israel and Mariah Barcalow, Feb. 28, 1828 (Cox).
Vail, James and Mary Simpson, Dec. 22, 1838 (Cox).
Vail, James and Grace Bergen, Apr. 29, 1847 (Rodgers).
Vail, Peter, Jr., and Ann Goltra, Sept. 3, 1836 (Rodgers).
Vail, Richard and Catharine Brokaw, Jan. 7, 1853 (Nice).
Vail, Stephen and Hannah Hall, Dec. 22, 1843 (English).
Van Arsdale, Abraham and Jane Van Nest, Nov. 8, 1854 (Brush).
Van Arsdale, Abraham and Elizabeth B. Elsen, Sept. 14, 1861 (Rankin).
Van Arsdale, Beniah E. and Mary E. Bolmer, Feb. 28, 1861 (Mesick).
Van Arsdale, Christopher and Margaret Stryker, Nov. 19, 1856 (Doolittle).
Van Arsdale, Christopher and Mary Elizabeth Gordon, Dec. 18, 1872 (Mesick).
Van Arsdale, Daniel and Elizabeth Tingly, Feb. 12, 1871 (Pool).
Van Arsdale, Jacob and Catharine Compton, Sept. 23, 1820 (Brownlee).
Van Arsdale, Jacob and Sarah A. Van Nest, Feb. 6, 1878 (Parry).
Van Arsdale, John and Mary Spader, April 5, 1801 (Vredenburgh).
Van Arsdale, Orlando and Mary E. Ball, July 19, 1862 (Thompson).
Van Arsdale, Philip and Phebe L. Voorhees, Oct. 26, 1843 (Chambers).
Van Arsdale, Philip E. and Elsey Voorhees, Oct. 8, 1856 (Van Doren).
Van Arsdale, Philip I. and Ann N. Hardenburgh, Nov. 3, 1859 (Brush).
Van Arsdale, Peter and Sarah Elizabeth Vroom, Oct. 24, 1861 (Brush).
Van Arsdale, Rudolph and Lydia Stryker Auten, Dec. 5, 1855 (Mesick).
Van Arsdale, Ruliff P. and Mary Hall, Nov. 18, 1847 (Ludlow).
Van Arsdale, R. and J. Carkhuff, Dec. 25, 1877 (Pitcher).
Van Arsdalen, Elias and Sarah Layton, Dec. 6, 1823 (Fisher).
Van Arsdalen, Henry and Ida Van Arsdalen, Dec. 30, 1812 (Hardenbergh).
Van Arsdalen, Henry and Mariah Van Pelt, Mar. 4, 1815 (Vredenburgh).
Van Arsdalen, Henry and Sophia Brown, Nov. 29, 1827 (Boggs).
Van Arsdalen, Isaac and Laura Lane, Nov. 3, 1808 (Hardenbergh).
Van Arsdalen, Isaac and Catharine Brokaw, Sept. 26, 1822 (Zabriskie).
Van Arsdalen, Isaac A. and Maria Van Doren, Oct. 12, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Van Arsdalen, James and Catharine Orbell, July 8, 1824 (Fisher).
Van Arsdalen, Levi and Abbe H. Goble, Apr. 1, 1824 (Brownlee).
Van Arsdalen, Malicchi and Margaret Biggs, Jan. 5, 1833 (Blauvelt).
Van Arsdalen, Peter and Betsey Van Arsdalen, Oct. 15, 1812 (Hardenbergh).

Van Arsdalen, Peter and Mariah Van Middlesworth, Dec. 30, 1815 (Vredenburgh).
Van Arsdalen, Peter and Mary Dumon, Jan. 24, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Van Arsdalen, Peter and Nancy Oppie, Oct. 9, 1828 (Labagh).
Van Arsdalen, Peter Q. and Catharine Powelson, Dec. 21, 1822 (Fisher).
Van Arsdalen, Philip and Sarah Little, Jan. 12, 1831 (Fisher).
Van Arsdalen, Richard and Ellen Jenkins, May 20, 1837 (Rice).
Van Arsdalen, Samuel and Elizabeth Van Dyke, Dec. 2, 1846 (Messler).
Van Arsdalen, William and Sarah Reed, Dec. 30, 1800 (Finley).
Van Arsdalen, William and Margaret M. Wolfe, July 8, 1826 (Fisher).
Van Arsdalen, William and Joannah Bergen, Sept. 14, 1836 (Zabriskie).
Van Augler, John and Maria Thomas, Sept. 17, 1842 (Rodgers).
Van Aulen, Thomas and Lizzie Osmon, Oct. 20, 1869 (Ludlow).
Van Brant, Roeloff and Elizabeth Van Derveer, Nov. 15, 1795 (Harlingen).
Van Buren, John and Caroline Haddock, Dec. 5, 1821 (or 1822) (Cole).
Van Buskirk, Rev. Peter V. and Mary Elizabeth Hageman, Jan. 2, 1870 Doolittle).
Van Buskirk, William and Hattie Baird, Oct. 28, 1874 (Gardner).
Van Camp, Cornelius and Juda Low, Feb. 22, 1796 (Studdiford).
Van Camp, David and Dinah Ann Stryker, May 3, 1860 (Messler).
Van Camp, Gilbert and Mariah V. D. Nevius, Oct. 2, 1832 (Ludlow).
Van Camp, John and Jane Lane, Oct. 7, 1804 (Studdiford).
Van Camp, John and Elizabeth Dumont, Sept. 10, 1853 (Gardner).
Van Camp, John T. and Joanna Ten Eyck, July 25, 1829 (Ludlow).
Van Camp, John T. and Anna Quick, Oct. 4, 1876 (Hart).
Van Camp, Martin and Martha Covert, Nov. 20, 1851 (Ludlow).
Van Camp, Peter V. D. and Julia Bunn, Oct. 28, 1857 (Messler).
Van Camp, Tunis and Catharine Smith, Jan. 5, 1807 (Studdiford).
Van Camp, Tunis and Ida Schenck, Nov. 20, 1844 (Ludlow).
Van Cleef, Abraham and Mary F. Wortman, Feb. 20, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Van Cleef, Abraham B. and Catharine Polhemus, Nov. 13, 1844 (Ludlow).
Van Cleef, Cyrene and Jane Verbryck, May 26, 1827 (Zabriskie).
Van Cleef, Isaac and Catharine Voorhees, Oct. 8, 1828 (Zabriskie).
Van Cleef, Isaac and Adeline Voorhees, Mar. 7, 1838 (Zabriskie).
Van Cleef, Isaac N. and Annie M. Hoagland, Nov. 11, 1868 (Gardner).
Van Cleef, Isaac P. and Mary Ann Van Arsdalen, Sept. 20, 1834 (Ludlow).
Van Cleef, James and Martha Polhemus, Oct. 8, 1839 (Messler).
Van Cleef, John and Jane Ann Duryea, Sept. 20, 1820 (Zabriskie).
Van Cleef, John and Eliza W. Vandoren, Nov. 6, 1834 (Shultz).
Van Cleef, John D. and Alice A. Higgins, Mar. 25, 1875 (Oliver).
Van Cleef, Martin and Phebe Hoagland, Feb. 26, 1816 (Zabriskie).
Van Cleef, Peter and Margaret Ann Daly, Dec. 10, 1865 (Pitcher).
Van Cleef, Peter A. and Ann Lattourette, Sept. 25, 1833 (Ludlow).
Van Cleft, Frank and Eliza Kennedy, Mar. 4, 1814 (Galpin).
Van Derbeek, Bergen Dunham and Sarah Jane Van Arsdale, Jan. 4, 1855 (Blauvelt).

Van Derbeek, Cornelius and Eliza Dunham, Oct. 9, 1824 (Galpin).
Van Derbeek, Horace and Mary Duyckinck, Dec. 19, 1860 (Blauvelt).
Van Derbeek, Jaques and Mary Ann Smith, Nov. 5, 1846 (Chambers).
Van Derbeek, Jacques and Susan M. Smith, June 20, 1866 (Mesick).
Van Derbeek, John Newton and Gertrude Hutton Blauvelt, Oct. 10, 1866 (Blauvelt).
Van Derbilt, Aaron and Margaret Beekman, Nov. 8, 1812 (Labagh).
Vanderbelt, Cornelius and Jane Boice, May 26, 1806 (Woodhull).
Van Derbilt, Jacob and Sally Ann Gray, July 6, 1811 (Bent).
Van Derbilt, John and Catharine Longstreet, Feb. 16, 1825 (Galpin).
Van Derbilt, John and Phebe Bryant, June 6, 1842 (Rodgers).
Van Derbilt, Peter B. and Sarah Ann Hutchinson, Jan. 17, 1847 (Gardner).
Van Derbelt, ——— and Lydia Quick, Feb. 24, 1838 (English).
Van Deripe, Abraham and Ann B. Van Arsdalen, Dec. 10, 1833 (Ludlow).
Van Derripe, Andrew and Ann Voorhees, Nov. 7, 1818 (Labagh).
Vander Veer, Aaron A. and Willimina E. Stillwell, Sept. 12, 1877 (Doolittle).
Van Derveer, Abraham and Phebe Reeves, Oct. 14, 1813 (Labagh).
Van Derveer, Abraham, and Lanah Van Doren, Nov. 12, 1857 (Mesick).
Van Derveer, Abraham S. and Amelia Ann Williamson, Jan. 14, 1846 (Sears).
Van Derveer, Alexander and Jane Van Dervoort, Jan. 16, 1868 (Carter).
Van Derveer, Benjamin and Caroline Right, Jan. 24, 1867 (Meyer).
Van Derveer, Caleb B. and Sarah S. Van Zant, Oct. 13, 1847 (Talmage).
Van Derveer, Cornelius and Anne Van Derveer, Mar. 30, 1794 (Studdiford).
Van Derveer, Cornelius and Ann Brokaw, Feb. 18, 1816 (Vredenburgh).
Van Derveer, Cornelius and Mary Ann Whitenack, Dec. 30, 1858 (Mesick).
Van Derveer, Cornelius and Rosina A. Staats, Oct. 3, 1866 (Searle).
Van Derveer, Cornelius G. and Nelia Jane Herbert, March 21, 1827 (Van Kleek).
Van Derveer, Cornelius P. and Magdaline Shenk, Jan. 12, 1843 (Bond).
Van Derveer, Ferdinand and Maria Elmondorf, Mar. 14, 1810 (Vredenburgh).
Van Derveer, Harry and Jane Johnson, June 8, 1843 (Talmage).
Van Derveer, Henry and Mary Ann Frelinghuysen, July 25, 1820 (Vredenburgh).
Van Derveer, Henry and Martha Ten Eyck, June 1, 1864 (Gardner).
Van Derveer, Henry F. and Mary Squier, May 23, 1855 (Van Derveer).
Van Derveer, James and Mary J. Lane, Feb. 6, 1862 (Brush).
Van Derveer, James and Margaret Van Horn, Aug. 11, 1864 (Voorhees).
Van Derveer, James B. and Margaret Van Nest, Nov. 16, 1835 (Fisher).
Van Derveer, Dr. James D. and Esther J. Van Nest, Feb. 12, 1868 (Doolittle).

Van Derveer, John and Margaret Colyer, Dec. 13, 1826 (Fisher).
Van Derveer, John and Margaret Fields, Oct. 31, 1833 (Blauvelt).
Van Derveer, John and Mary Ann Tunison, Aug. 19, 1835 (Messler).
Van Derveer, John and Rachel Shults, Mar. 23, 1839 (Van Doren).
Van Derveer, John, Jr. and Sarah Ann Everett, Mar. 3, 1835 (Ludlow).
Van Derveer, John C. and Margaret T. Van Dervoort, Dec. 31, 1857 (Blauvelt).
Vanderveer, John F. and Sarah Jane Tunison, June 27, 1871 (Mesick).
Van Derveer, Joseph and Mary Ann Tunison, Sept. 23, 1818 (Vredenburgh).
Van Derveer, Joseph and Nancy Van Doren, Jan, 27, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Vanderveer, Joseph and Martha B. Welsh, Jan. 8, 1869 (Blauvelt).
Vanderveer, Laurence and Martha M. Suydam, May 6, 1874 (Doolittle).
Vander Veer, Luther and Kate J. Hoagland, Dec. 24, 1873 (Van Doren).
Vander Veer, Matthew H. and Laura C. Thomson, Feb. 23, 1878 (Rowland).
Van Derveer, Peter and Mariah Terhune, Oct. 21, 1814 (Labagh).
Van Derveer, Peter and Sarah S. Van Kirk, Aug. 5, 1852 (Craven).
Van Derveer, Peter and Jane Van Doren, Nov. 12, 1868 (Ludlow).
Van Derveer, Philip and Auletta Van Nest, Jan. 11, 1832 (Fisher).
Vanderveer, Richard and Nancy Staats, Nov. 3, 1838 (Rodgers).
Vander Veer, R. C. and Cordelia A. Smith, Mar. 1, 1876 (Messler).
Van Derveer, Samuel and Charlotte Youngs, Aug. 25, 1836 (Cox).
Vanderveer, Samuel and Sarah E. Robbins (Col'd), Dec. 26, 1872 (Mesick).
Vanderveer, Samuel G. and Selinda Kline (Col'd), Sept. 23, 1874 (Doolittle).
Van Derveer, Thomas and Hannah Jeroloman, Mar. 7, 1857 (Cornell).
Vanderveer, Thomas Edward and Serena Ann Harris, Aug. 5, 1868 (Griffiths).
Van Derveer, Tunis and Sarah Van Arsdalen, Dec. 19,1805 (Schureman).
Van Derveer, Tunis and Catharine Wortman, Nov. 18, 1863 (Brush).
Van Derveer, William and Josephine Hall, Dec. 31, 1863 (Ludlow).
Van Derveer, William Leupp and Hannah Elizabeth Squier, May 2, 1861 (Messler).
Van Dervoort, Abraham and Gertrude Blackwell, Aug. 22, 1835 (Blauvelt).
Van Dervoort, Abraham and Katherine Barkalow, Feb. 4, 1847 (Harris).
Van Dervoort, Benjamin and Hannah Terly, Dec. 29, 1803 (Studdiford).
Van Dervoort, Benjamin and Harriet Layton, June 30, 1866 (Blauvelt).
Vandervoort, Charles and Fannie Udora Condict, Feb. 25, 1874 (Doolittle).
Vander Voort, Charles and Martha Hannah McIntyre, Jan. 24, 1877 (Doolittle).
Van Dervoort, Jacob and Mary Jane Jeroloman, Oct. 28, 1867 (Le Fevre).
Vandervoort, Jacob and Gertie M. Davis, Dec. 28, 1875 (Jamison).

Van Dervoort, Paul and Eliza Blackwell, Nov. 6, 1836 (Blauvelt).
Vandervoort, Paul and Mary E. Vanderveer, May 19, 1869 (Blauvelt).
Van Dervoort, Peter and Julia Ann Layton, Sept. 29, 1866 (Blauvelt).
Van Deventer, Aaron and Sarah Schenck, Dec. 19, 1811 (Zabriskie).
Vandeventer, Henry and Phebe B. Brokaw, Nov. 9, 1837 (Rodgers).
Van Deventer, Henry B. and Elizabeth Voorhees, Mar. 4, 1846 (Rodgers).
Van Deventer, James and Mariah Van Doren, May 12, 1829 (Van Kleek).
Van Deventer, Jeremiah and Cornelia Stryker, Feb. 5, 1831 (Rodgers).
Van Deventer, John and Eliza Davenport, Feb. 15, 1837 (Rice).
Van Deventer, Jonathan F. and Catharine Hoagland, Mar. 8, 1834 (Fisher).
Van Deventer, Peter and Maria Davis, Aug. 9, 1807 (Vredenburgh).
Van Deventer, Peter and Sarah Ann Toms, Jan. 3, 1833 (Messler).
Vandeventer, Peter and Ellenor Lane, April 9, 1839 (Rodgers).
Van Deventer, Peter and Elizabeth Eickman, Feb. 7, 1843 (Rodgers).
Van Deventer, William H. and Emiline Sebring, May 7, 1856 (Rodgers).
Van Doren, Abner and Jane Young, Dec. 3, 1854 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Abraham and Peggy Van Arsdalen, Dec. 28, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Van Doren, Abraham and Dorcas Stryker, Mar. 14, 1811 (Vredenburgh).
Van Doren, Abram and Ellen Jane Corrigan, May 22, 1831 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, Abraham and Emeline Hardcastle, Dec. 9, 1834 (Messler).
Van Doren, Abraham and Maria Nevius, Jan. 26, 1864 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Abraham Q. and Catharine Kershon, Feb. 8, 1838 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Abram R. and Adeline Susan Auten, Nov. 8, 1860 (Mesick).
Van Doren, Alvah and Catharine E. Somerset, Oct. 20, 1875 (Doolittle).
Van Doren, Andrew B. and Catharine Van Arsdalen, July 23, 1834 (Fisher).
Van Doren, Asher and Margaret Pittenger, June 15, 1848 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Asher and Rachel Morgan, July 12, 1856 (Carrell).
Van Dorn, Augustus and Harriet Henry, Feb. 6, 1873 (Doolittle).
Van Doren, Burgen and Margaret Van Arsdalen, Dec. 12, 1816 (Hardenburgh).
Van Doren, Christianus and Eletta Van Derveer, Feb. 21, 1828 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Cornelius and Mariah Brokaw, Mar. 12, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Van Doren, Cornelius and Elizabeth Van Pelt, Mar. 25, 1847 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, Cornelius and Margaret Brokaw, Oct. 9, 1851 (Rodgers).
Van Doren, Cornelius R. and Amanda Miller, Dec. 23, 1856 (Romeyn).
Van Doren, Cornelius V. N. and Ann Maria Van Nest, July 20, 1848 (Messler).
Van Doren, Dennis and Charity Vroom, Dec. 4, 1800 (Studdiford).

Van Doren, Edward V. and Sarah Johnson, Nov. 20, 1869 (Messler).
Van Doren, Eugene and Maggie H. Barkalow, Feb. 12, 1866 (Rankin).
Van Doren, Francis and Diana Rattle, June 28, 1856 (Romeyn).
Van Doren, Frederick V. L. and Dinah Conover, Jan. 11, 1837 (Shultz).
Van Doren, Garret and Ariantie Sebring, Feb. 11, 1813 (Vredenburgh).
Van Doren, Garret and Martha Staats, Sept. 7, 1845 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, Garret V. and Cynthia Wyckoff, Oct. 13, 1857 (Van Doren).
Van Doren, Gilbert and Lena Voorhees, July 20, 1816 (Hardenbergh).
Van Doren, Henry and Therrissa Briggs, Feb. 26, 1842 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, Henry and Lameth S. Auten, Dec. 10, 1856 (Messler).
Van Doren, Henry and Elizabeth Van Nest, Aug. 8, 1866 (Boswell).
Van Doren, Henry P. and Sarah H. Hoagland, Jan. 3, 1855 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Hillyard and Eliza Hazzard, Nov. 23, 1871 (Pitcher).
Van Doren, Isaac and Nelly Smock, May 16, 1822 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, Jack and Sarah Ann Wyckoff, July 25, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, Jacob and Peternella Veghte, Sept. 28, 1813 (Vredenburgh).
Van Doren, Jacob and Rachel Eoff, Oct. 4, 1815 (Vredenburgh).
Van Dorn, Jacob and Lucinda Bird, Apr. 23, 1870 (Pool).
Van Doren, John and Margaret Pittenger, Dec. 1, 1804 (Studdiford).
Van Dorn, John and Mary Thomas, Feb. 18, 1818 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, John and Charity Staats, May 7, 1829 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, John and Mary Dumont, Nov. 11, 1852 (Campbell).
Van Doren, John and Keziah Conover, Oct. 19, 1853 (Rodgers).
Van Doren, John A. and Mariah Cox, Nov. 11, 1829 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, John B. and Ann S. Prall, Dec. 24, 1844 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, John I. and Mary Ann Van Nostrand, Jan. 11, 1837 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, John L. and Jane Ann Voorhees, Mar. 8, 1866 (Mesick).
Van Doren, John P. and Mary Ann Dils, Sept. 12, 1832 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, John P. and Ellen Sherman, Feb. 11, 1847 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, John R. and Eliza Lee, Jan. 8, 1831 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, John V. L. and Catharine Brokaw, Oct. 15, 1851 (Craven).
Van Doren, Joseph and Maria Covenhoven, July 6, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Van Doren, Joseph and Sarah Van Deventer, May 9, 1827 (Boggs).
Van Doren, Rev. J. Addison and Johanna V. Bergen, Nov. 30, 1875 (Messler).
Van Doren, J. T. S. and Mary Drake, Nov. 4, 1868 (Gardner).
Van Doren, Michael and Ann Van Derbelt, Dec. 31, 1809 (Patterson).
Van Doren, Minnah Voorhees and Mary Voorhees, May 10, 1854 (Van Doren).
Van Doren, Peter and Eliza Harris, Oct. 24, 1822 (Boggs).
Van Doren, Priam and Hannah Quick, Oct. 11, 1838 (Messler).
Van Doren, Richard and Patty Stryker, Jan. 14, 1832 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Richard and Jane E. Brokaw, Mar. 20, 1867 (Mesick).
Van Doren, Richard P. and Elizabeth Packer, Feb. 15, 1834 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, Thomas and Phillis Jackson, Oct. 24, 1834 (Wilson).
Van Doren, Titus and Julia Williamson, Dec. 3, 1831 (Ludlow).
Van Doren, William and Mariah Wyckoff, Jan. 3, 1825 (Zabriskie).
Van Doren, William and Maria Beekman, Sept. 7, 1852 (Rodgers).

Van Doren, William H. and Cecelia Cammann, Sept. 20, 1848 (Messler).
Van Doren, William S. and Eliza Jerolaman, Nov. 7, 1836 (Fleming).
Van Duyn, Abraham and Matilda Staats, July 30, 1814 (Vredenburgh).
Van Duyn, Abraham and Ida Vanderbilt, Feb. 15, 1816 (Boggs).
Van Duyn, Cornelius and Margaret Low, Dec. 11, 1852 (Blauvelt).
Van Dyn, Dennis and Betsy Melick, Jan. 5, 1816 (Hardenbergh).
Van Duyne, Dennis and Letty Van Doren, May 29, 1824 (Zabriskie).
Van Duyn, George and Dinah Van Nest, Mar. 20, 1850 (Rodgers).
Van Duyn, George and Lydia Snowden, June 18, 1862 (Mesick).
Van Dyne, Isaac and Ann Field, June 15, 1809 (Studdiford).
Van Duyne, Isaac and Rachel Hoagland, May 20, 1826 (Boggs).
Van Duyne, Isaac and Anna Rebecca Mullen, Nov. 4, 1869 (Blauvelt).
Van Duyn, Jacob R. and Abigal Miller, May 1, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Van Duyn, John and Jane Stryker, Apr. 25, 1812 (Labagh).
Van Dyne, John and Eliza Sutton, Dec. 28, 1816 (Hardenbergh).
Van Duyn, John V. and Margaret Veghte, June 3, 1845 (Sears).
Van Dyne, Peter and Jane Doty, Dec. 31, 1840 (Messler).
Van Duyn, Robert G. and Martha Ross, Jan. 28, 1846 (Rodgers).
Van Dyne, Thomas and Dinah Brokaw, Dec. 12, 1846 (Messler).
Van Duyne, William and Maria Hagaman, Feb. 27, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Van Dyke, Benjamin and Elsey Smith, Feb. 2, 1826 (Fisher).
Van Dike, Cornelius and Lydia Vail, Nov. 4, 1815 (Boggs).
Van Dyke, Cornelius and Catharine Flagg, Oct. 30, 1845 (Chambers).
Van Dyke, George and Alice Jane Anderson, Oct. 20, 1860 (Messler).
Van Dyke, George and Frances C. Backer, Jan. 17, 1866 (Thompson).
Van Dyke, George Washington and Jane Ricks, June 23, 1849 (Messler).
Van Dyke, Isaac and Jane Sutton, July 3, 1817 (Hardenbergh).
Van Dyke, Isaac and Eliza Lewis, Nov. 1, 1832 (Fisher).
Van Dyke, James C. and Mary Louisa Brown, Oct. 7, 1866 (Carmichael).
Van Dike, Jemers and Martha Barcalow, May 13, 1824 (Brownlee).
Van Dyke, John and Martha Beekman, Nov. 7, 1821 (Labagh).
Van Dyke, John and Martha Bainbridge, Oct. 10, 1835 (Rice).
Van Dyke, John and Mary D. Strong, Oct. 7, 1841 (Weeks).
Van Dyke, John C. and Jane E. Wyckoff, Dec. 20, 1871 (Gardner).
Van Dyke, John C. and Mary E. Cochrane, Jan. 1, 1873 (Pitcher).
Van Dyke, Joseph and Lydia Huffman, Jan. 3, 1860 (Cornell).
Van Dyke, Lewis and Jane Van Middlesworth, Nov. 6, 1832 (Wilson).
Van Dyke, Peter and Cornelia Stryker, Nov. 6, 1824 (Labagh).
Van Dike, Philip and Hester Tingley, July 6, 1822 (Boggs).
Van Dyke, Thomas and Isabel Tunison, May 19, 1849 (Ballard).
Van Dike, William and Catharine Skillman, Dec. 11, 1823 (Labagh).
Van Dyke, William B. and Alice R. Rappelyea, Feb. 27, 1877 (Scofield).
Van Fleet, Aaron J. and Anna Lowe, Feb. 23, 1826 (Ludlow).
Van Fleet, Abraham and Mary H. Bellis, Jan. 27, 1859 (Ludlow).
Van Fleet, Abraham J. and Ann Van Doren, Jan. 8, 1829 (Ludlow).
Van Fleet, Andrew and Mary Opdyke, Mar. 30, 1869 (Thompson).

Van Fliet, Burgen H. and Mary Jane Sunderland, Oct. 23, 1834 (Ludlow).
Van Fleet, David and Mariah Dollivar, Oct. 7, 1835 (Messler).
Van Fleet, Elias, Jr. and Sarah E. Provost, Dec. 30, 1868 (LeFevre).
Van Fleet, Isaac and Alletta Q. Ammerman, Nov. 12, 1867 (Doolittle).
Van Fleet, James and Margaret Bakehorn, Oct. 4, 1866 (Voorhees).
Van Fleet, John A. and Mary Ann Huff, Nov. 13, 1852 (Ludlow).
Van Fleet, John W. S. and Susan A. Quimby, July 29, 1863 (Searle).
Van Fleet, Joseph S. and Gertrude V. D. Schenck, Oct. 21, 1863 (Voorhees).
Van Fleet, Peter T. B. and Ellen Williamson, Nov. 2, 1822 (Ludlow).
Van Fleet, Sylvester S. and Elizabeth Flagg, Dec. 12, 1863 (Morse).
Van Harlingen, Edward and Idah Van Duyne, Jan. 17, 1835 (Zabriskie).
Van Harlingen, John O. and Lemnata Staats, Dec. 21, 1830 (Zabriskie).
Van Heiss, Freeman and Betsy Dennis, Jan. 19, 1864 (Searle).
Van Hies, James Q. and Cornelia Van Zandt, June 1, 1843 (Chambers).
Van Horn, Abraham and Harriet Wyckoff, Nov. 23, 1825 (Fisher).
Van Horn, Abraham and Catharine M. Van Liew, June 25, 1863 (Rodgers).
Van Horn, Cæsar and Hannah Viles, May 25, 1850 (Ludlow).
Van Horn, Charles S. and Emily P. Van Dorn, Jan. 9, 1870 (Griffiths).
Van Horn, Jonathan and Mary E. Stryker, Mar. 2, 1871 (Messler).
Van Horn, Joseph and Elizabeth A. Crouse, Sept. 11, 1862 (LeFevre).
Van Horn, Matthew and Brachie Roseboom, Dec. 13, 1803 (Studdiford).
Van Horn, William C. and Phebe Goal, Nov. 19, 1864 (Morse).
Van Horn, William J. and Margaret L. Burd, Oct. 28, 1857 (Doolittle).
Van Hounten, Jacob G. and Mary Elizabeth Hill, Apr. 12, 1840 (Harris).
Van Houten, James C. and Margaret A. Hill, Oct. 17, 1854 (Rankin).
Van Houten, James M. and Mary A. Tunison, July 4, 1857 (Lockwood).
Van Huyse, Cornelius and Elsie Merrill, Nov. 9, 1815 (Zabriskie).
Van Huyse, Isaac and Sarah Staats, Jan. 6, 1816 (Zabriskie).
Van Keuren, Charles Augustus and Ella F. Van Keum, Oct. 15, 1877 (Eaton).
Van Kirk, A. J. and Ann Hoagland, Oct. 22, 1851 (Gardner).
Van Kirk, Benjamin and Eliza Terhune, Oct. 16, 1844 (Talmage).
Van Kirk, Charles and Mary Emma Brokaw (col'd), Jan. 15, 1873 (Mesick).
Van Kirk, Cornelius and Jane Sutphen, Jan. 3, 1849 (Messler).
Van Kirk, David and Harriet Corriell, Jan. 30, 1819 (Boggs).
Van Kirk, Edward and Alletta Blue, Jan. 19, 1831 (Zabriskie).
Van Kirk, Elnathan D. and Sarah Ann Van Fleet, Feb. 17, 1846 (Ludlow).
Van Kirk, John D. and Margaret Hunt, June 7, 1871 (Voorhees).
Van Kirk, Nathan and Hannah Staats, Oct. 26, 1822 (Boggs).
Van Liew, Charles and Julia Ann Baker, Aug. 11, 1857 (Cornell).
Van Liew, Condit and Margaret Van Middlesworth, Sept. 27, 1815 (Labagh).

Van Liew, Cornelius D. and Catharine Van Zandt, Sept. 21, 1844 (Van Doren).
Van Liew, Dennis and Sarah Layton, Feb. 16, 1820 (Hardenbergh).
Van Liew, Dennis and Elizabeth Goltra, Apr. 30, 1851 (English).
Van Liew, Dennis, Jr. and Hannah Williamson, Jan. 30, 1834 (Ludlow).
Van Lieuw, Firman and Ellen DeGroot, Aug. 20, 1857 (Rodgers).
Van Liew, Frederick and Susan S. Doughty, Sept. 27, 1871 (Rowland).
Van Liew, Frederick F. and Mariah Voorhees, Aug. 24, 1814 (Fonde).
Van Liew, Frederick V. D. and Catharine Eldert, Apr. 29, 1848 (Van Doren).
Van Liew, Harry and Mary Bergen, Aug. 27, 1831 (Rodgers).
Van Liew, Henry and Julia Ann Fisher, Dec. 26, 1848 (Rodgers).
Van Liew, Henry V. and Mary Louisa Amerman, Oct. 13, 1858 (Le Fevre).
Van Liew, Jeremiah and Margaret Baird, Mar. 2, 1815 (Labagh).
Van Liew, John C. and Mary Van Derveer, Dec. 10, 1833 (Ludlow).
Van Liew, John L. and P. Antoinette Annin, Jan. 24, 1854 (English).
Van Liew, Simon and Mahala Emmons, Nov. 13, 1839 (Blauvelt).
Van Liew, Simon S. and Elizabeth S. Bergen, Sept. 25, 1844 (Messler).
Van Marter, Joseph and Alice Ann Polhemus, Sept. 7, 1855 (Carrell).
Van Mator, Jacob S. and Mary Catharine Stryker, Nov. 3, 1847 (Ludlow).
Van Middlesworth, Andrew and Ann Waldron, Jan. 12, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Van Middlesworth, Garret and Rebecca Van Cleef, Jan. 15, 1818 (Zabriskie).
Van Middlesworth, Henry and Elizabeth Talmage, Feb. 26, 1807 (Vredenburgh).
Van Middlesworth, Henry and Mary Fenner, Apr. 24, 1869 (Carter).
Van Middlesworth, John and Emiline Stevenson, Dec. 31, 1843 (Messler).
Van Middlesworth, John and Lucretia Ditmars, Oct. 24, 1861 (Gardner).
Van Middlesworth, Nicholas and E. Gamlin, Jan. 22, 1845 (Coddington, J. P.).
Van Middlesworth, Tunis and Nelly Wyckoff, Nov. 19, 1813 (Labagh).
Van Middlesworth, Tunis and Sarah Kershow, Mar. 16, 1831 (Labagh).
Van Middlesworth, ——— and Rebecca Probasco, Mar. 13, 1794 (Studdiford).
Van Middlesworth, ——— and Elizabeth Cock, Nov. 1, 1799 (Studdiford).
Van Nest, Abraham and Christiana Wortman, Mar. 15, 1810 (Hardenbergh).
Van Nest, Abraham and Rachel Ann Smith, Sept. 11, 1844 (Zabriskie).
Van Neste, Abraham and Catharine A. Hall, Sept. 27, 1860 (Ludlow).
Van Nest, Abraham G. and Maria S. French, Oct. 4, 1848 (Van Neste).
Van Nest, Benjamin and Dinah Waterhouse, Oct. 4, 1862 (Daniels).
Van Ness, Charles D. and Isabella Hunter, May 17, 1869 (Griffith).

Van Nest, Christopher and Catharine Voorhees, Feb. 26, 1801 (Snowden).
Van Nest, Cornelius and Betsy Todd, Sept. 10, 1812 (Hardenbergh).
Van Nest, Cornelius and Susannah Van Derveer, Feb. 19, 1834 (Zabriskie).
Van Ness, Cornelius and Ruth Mone, Feb. 16, 1837 (Cox).
Van Nest, Cornelius, Jr. and Henrietta Totten, Oct, 29, 1874 (Rodgers).
Van Nest, Dennis T. and Sarah M. Voorhees, Nov. 21, 1867 (Ludlow).
Van Nest, Edward H. and Harret Hall, Nov. 25, 1837 (Ludlow).
Van Nest, Elijah and Mariah Van Horn, Mar. 6, 1847 (Campbell).
Van Nest, George and Maria Spruce, Feb. 9, 1805 (Studdiford) .
Van Nest, George and Phebe Van Nest, July 2, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nest, George and Mary Talmage, Oct. 15, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nest, George and Margaret Davenport, Dec. 19, 1839 (Campbell).
Van Neste, George and Mary Ann Brokaw, Nov. 17, 1858 (Gardner).
Van Nest, George and Sarah Jane Heath, Aug. 8, 1866 (Boswell).
Van Ness, Henry and Jane Bakeman, Apr. 12, 1823 (Watson).
Van Nest, Henry V. D. and Diadama Appleton, Oct. 24, 1867 (Ludlow).
Van Ness, Jacob and Margaret Bird, Nov. 25, 1843 (Cox).
Van Nest, Jacob, Jr. and Helen Ann Van Syckle, Sept. 18, 1844 (Ludlow).
Van Nest, James and Susan Hull, May 27, 1858 (Lockwood).
Van Nest, James and Mary M. Worman, Oct. 22, 1863 (LeFevre).
Van Nest, James V. D. and Mary E. Vanderveer, June 17, 1874 (Mc William).
Van Nest, Jerome and Catharine Powelson, Jan. 24, 1855 (Brush).
Van Nest, John and Mary Dow, Apr. 26, 1803 (Studdiford).
Van Nest, John and Jane Van Nest, Dec. 15, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nest. John and Nancy Todd, June 12, 1813 (Hardenbergh).
Van Nest, John and Harriet A. Beekman, Aug. 8, 1826 (Boggs).
Van Nest, John and Jane Dickinson, Feb. 29, 1852 (Sears)
Van Ness, John A. and Elizabeth Saums, May 1, 1851 (Ludlow).
Van Nest, John C. and Mahete Taylor, Oct. 6, 1872 (Pitcher).
Van Neste, John G. and Sarah Wortman, Apr. 14, 1814 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nest, John Vredenburgh and Mary Tabitha Stryker, Feb. 26, 1846 (Zabriskie).
Van Ness, Michael and Phebe Pangborn, Jan. 4, 1865 (Searle).
Van Nest, Peter and Maria Van Arsdale, Jan. 13, 1842 (Schenck).
Van Nest, Peter and Kate Bunn, Jan. 12, 1865 (Messler).
Van Neste, Peter and Susan V. Jones, Jan. 12, 1871 (Messler).
Van Nest, Thomas and Ereline Cray, Jan. 30, 1873 (LeFevre).
Van Nest, William and Doborah Nevius, Jan. 12, 1826 (Fisher).
Van Ness, William and Mary Ann Huch, Oct. 5, 1855 (Carrell).
Van Nest, William A. and Ellen M. Tunison, Jan. 4, 1874 (Doolittle).
Van Nest, ——— and Sally Voorhees, Nov. 12, 1808 (Hardenbergh).
Van Nortwick, Abram S. and Helen Maria Stout, Oct. 15, 1845 (Blauvelt).
Van Nortwick, Henry and Jane Van Syckle, July 7, 1863 (Rodgers).
Van Nortwick, John and Maria Brokaw, Dec. 15, 1804, (Vredenburgh).
Van Nortwick, John and Jane Suydam, Feb. 12, 1830 (Van Kleek).

Van Nortwick, M. H. and R. Adelie Pierce, May 16, 1871 (LeFevre).
Van Nortwick, Philip and Elizabeth Hanvil, Mar. 3, 1801 (Finley).
Van Nortwick, Simon and Lucretia Nevius, Oct. 31, 1812 (Labagh).
Van Nortwick, Simon and Katy Van Dorn, Nov. 27, 1817 (Zabriskie).
Van Nortwick, Simon and Susan Smith, Oct. 24, 1832 (Zabriskie)
Van Nostrand, Christopher and Elizabeth French, Apr. 3, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nostrand, Clarkson and Miss Ditmars, Jan. 5, 1807 (Studdiford).
Van Nostrand, Cornelius and Gertrude Bevach, Feb. 10, 1847 (Zabriskie).
Van Nostrand, Isaac and Mariah Bush, May 19, 1827 (Boggs).
Van Nostrand, Isaac and Eunice M. Coriell, June 30, 1827 (Boggs).
Van Nostrand, Isaac and Catharine C. Van Tine, Oct. 6, 1847 (Fish).
Van Nostrand, Jacob W. and Phebe Maria Eldert, Aug. 28, 1839 (Van Doren).
Van Nostrand, John and Elizabeth Hodge, Mar. 22, 1825 (Boggs).
Van Nostrand, John, Jr. and Mary B. Hoagland, Feb. 28, 1842 (Zabriskie).
Van Nostrand, Ralph and Magdalen Van Liew, Feb. 12, 1814 (Fonde).
Van Nostrand, William and Adeline P. Brokaw, June 17, 1857 (Messler).
Van Nuys, Abraham and Mariah Powelson, Feb. 9, 1815 (Labagh).
Van Nuys, Abram and Mary E. Williamson, Oct. 3, 1866 (Gardner).
Van Nuis, Bergen B. and Jane H. Cortelyou, Dec. 2, 1848 (Blauvelt).
Van Nuys, Cornelius and Eviline Cruser, Dec. 23, 1857 (Gardner).
Van Nuis, Henry S. and Sarah Staats, Nov. 26, 1856 (Doolittle).
Van Nuys, Garret and Martha Maria Van Doren, Nov. 4, 1863 (Belden).
Van Nuys, Garret Wyckoff and Alice Jane Sculthorp, Sept. 27, 1871 (Dutcher).
Van Nuyse, Henry and Eliza Stewart, Feb. 25, 1826 (Van Kleek).
Van Nuyse, Isaac and Maria Eyck, Dec. 5, 1836 (Zabriskie).
Van Nuys, Isaac I. and Sarah S. Van Zandt, Feb. 1, 1845 (Talmage).
Van Nuys, Isaac I. and Mariah W. Voorhees, Jan. 13, 1850 (Van Doren).
Van Nuys, James and Nelly Hardenbuck, Feb. 8, 1801 (Studdiford).
Van Nuys, James and Letitia Staats, Dec. 4, 1823 (Zabriskie).
Van Nuys, James S. and Ellen V. Peterson, Feb. 12, 1846 (Ludlow).
Van Nuys, John D. and Matilda B. Voorhees, Dec. 13, 1851 (Gardner).
Van Nyes, John Staats and Mary Van Cleef, Aug. 17, 1842 (Zabriskie).
Van Nuys, Lawrence V. and Margaret Polhemus, Nov. 11, 1845 (Gardner).
Van Nuys, Peter and Nelly Quick, Jan. 19, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick, Nov. 17, 1814 (Vredenburgh).
Van Nuys, Peter and Catharine Quick, Jan. 18, 1820 (Zabriskie).
Van Nuyse, Peter L. and Catharine H. Cortelyou, Nov. 5, 1854 (Sears).
Van Nuys, Peter L. P. and Rachel Ann Cruser, Sept. 5, 1860 (Gardner).
Van Nuys, Peter N. and Margaret Ann Van Cleef, May 22, 1850 (Gardner).
Van Nuys, Simon and Ellen Schenck, Feb. 23, 1827 (Ludlow).
Vanorman, John and Mary Silvana, July 22, 1865 (Parsons).

Van Pelt, Abraham and Frances Gulick, Mar. 29, 1835 (Sears).
Van Pelt, Andrew and Mariah Van Arsdalen, Nov. 18, 1822 (Fisher).
Van Pelt, Christopher and Sally Todd, Nov. 28, 1811 (Bent).
Van Pelt, Dominicus and Jane Cruser, Oct. 5, 1860 (Gardner).
Van Pelt, Elias and Deana Shokley, Aug. 17, 1870 (Rodgers).
Van Pelt, Garret T. and Susan E. King, Nov. 3, 1866 (Messler).
Van Pelt, Henry and Mary Buckamin, May 5, 1838 (Talmage).
Van Pelt, Henry and Hannah H. Scofield, May 21, 1845 (English).
Van Pelt, Henry C. and Elizabeth Stults, Jan. 15, 1853 (Gardner).
Van Pelt, Henry V. and Mary E. Little, Dec. 25, 1867 (Doolittle).
Van Pelt, Jacob and Catharine J. Cooper, Oct. 6, 1832 (Wilson).
Van Pelt, Jacob C. and Jane Whitlock, Mar. 29, 1835 (Cruser, J. P.).
Van Pelt, James and Frances Stryker, Aug. 16, 1817 (Labagh).
Van Pelt, Jefferson and Elizabeth Vliet, July 5, 1823 (Zabriskie).
Van Pelt, John and Aaltzie Amerman, April 18, 1797 (Harlingen).
Van Pelt, Joseph and Charity Flereboome, Apr. 29, 1795 (Studdiford).
Van Pelt, Matthew and Lydia V. Smith, Mar. 2, 1872 (Doolittle).
Van Pelt, Matthew T. and Mary V. Ditmars, Mar. 2, 1870 (LeFevre).
Van Pelt, Matthias Ten Eyck and Maria Bennet, Aug. 25, 1810 (Studdiford).
Van Pelt, Peter and Maria Brokaw, Mar. 1, 1810 (Vredenburgh).
Van Pelt, Peter S. and Mary Sutphen, Dec. 7, 1842 (Talmage).
Van Pelt, Ralph and Katie Powelson, Dec. 5, 1871 (Pool).
Van Pelt, Ruben and Margaret S. Vredenburgh, Feb. 15, 1827 (Van Kleek).
Van Riper, John and Ann Jefferson, Nov. 30, 1844 (Westbrook).
Van Sickel, Andrew and Rebecca Lane, Jan. 1, 1789 (Studdiford).
Van Sicklen, Ferdinand and Eliza Sharp, Oct. 2, 1815 (Fonde).
Van Sickle, James and Nelly Van Sickle, Mar. 25, 1810 (Studdiford).
Van Syckle, Louis E. and Francis Vactor, Feb. 3, 1869 (Mesick).
Van Sickle, Peter K. and Elizabeth Bird, Mar. 14, 1857 (Auten, J. P.).
Van Tuyle, Jonathan and Jane Pennington, Apr. 12, 1834 (Cox).
Van Tuyle, Otto and Charlotte Sophia Bolmer, July 10, 1830 (Van Kleek).
Van Tuyl, Samuel and Hannah Welsh, Jan. 29, 1814 (McDowell).
Van Tyne, Abraham and Jemima Vliet, Feb. 20, 1823 (Zabriskie).
Van Tine, Peter and Maria Buckelew, Nov. 22, 1812 (Zabriskie).
Van Tyne, Peter and Amelia Allen, Feb. 21, 1854 (Gardner).
Van Tyne, William and ——— Ogburn, Oct. 18, 1857 (Romeyn).
Van Vechten, Henry and Mary DeGroot, Jan. 13, 1859 (Rodgers).
Van Vechten, James and Hager A. Hall, Nov. 17, 1859 (Mesick).
Van Vleit, Abraham and Nelly Lane, Feb. 22, 1796 (Studdiford).
Van Vliet, Abraham and Mary Ten Broeck, Jan. 31, 1801 (Studdiford).
Van Vleet, Abraham and Rebecca Voorhees, Dec. 12, 1804 (Studdiford).
Van Vliet, Jacob K. and Nancy Kitchen, Dec. 31, 1868 (Pitcher).
Van Vliet, John and Elizabeth Emmans, Oct. 25, 1795 (Studdiford).
Van Vliet, John A. and Susan Barger, Feb. 18, 1796 (Studdiford).
Van Vliet, Peter and Catharine Van Vliet, Mar. 1, 1800 (Studdiford).
Van Vliet, Phillip T. and Gertrude V. Daley, Nov. 10, 1870 (Pitcher).

Van Vliet, William and Rebecca Voorhees, May 13, 1840 (Messler).
Van Vliet, ——— and Jumy ———, Dec. 20, 1797 (Studdiford).
Van Voorhees, Abraham and Jane Rappleyea, July 14, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Van Zandt, Garret and Catharine E. Staats, Feb. 10, 1858 (Mesick).
Van Zandt, Henry and Mercy Stout, Dec. 27, 1795 (Ewing).
Van Zandt, Henry D. and Elizabeth M. Reger, May 25, 1875 (Mesick).
Van Zant, Isaac and Catharine Malat, Nov. 18, 1815 (Labagh).
Van Zant, Isaac and Jannette Stout, Oct. 22, 1853 (Messler).
Van Zant, Isaac and Sarah Van Derveer, Nov. 9, 1853 (Campbell).
Van Zandt, James and Catharine Nevius, Sept. 7, 1842 (Talmage).
Van Zandt, James A. and Elizabeth Veghte, Feb. 2, 1848 (Sears).
Van Zant, John and Ann Voorhees, Nov. 20, 1817 (Labagh).
Van Zant, John and Gertrude Bird, Oct. 5, 1820 (Vredenburgh).
Van Zant, John and Margaret S. Fine, Aug. 25, 1847 (Van Neste).
Van Zandt, John and Elizabeth Voorhees, June 28, 1861 (Cornell).
Van Zandt, John and Margretta Skillman, Jan. 19, 1862 (Romeyn).
Van Zandt, John C. and Susan D. Wright, Jan. 19, 1832 (Lowrey, J. P.).
Van Zandt, John I. and Elizabeth Peterson, Sept. 21, 1837 (Ludlow).
Van Zandt, Peter and Maggie Stryker, Sept. 12 (or 22), 1816 (Zabriskie).
Van Zandt, Peter S. and Cornelia Skillman, Jan. 6, 1852 (Ludlow).
Van Zandt, Peter Stryker and Elizabeth R. Garretson, Oct. 11, 1874 (Mesick).
Van Zandt, William and Eleanor Jeroloman, June 4, 1857 (Brush).
Van Zandt, William S. and Phebe Angeline Van Pelt, Dec. 26, 1866 (Doolittle).
Van Zandt, Winant and Rachel Smith, Jan. 24, 1822 (Zabriskie).
Vaughn, Francis and Rachel Ruckman, Nov. 10, 1830 (Cox).
Vaughn, Lorenzo and Catharine Voorhees, Mar. 14, 1831 (Labagh).
Veghte, Abraham and Gertrude Nevius, Jan. 16, 1817 (Zabriskie).
Veghte, Abraham and Ann F. Van Nest, Oct. 11, 1843 (Messler).
Veghte, Benjamin and Martha Quick, Oct. 20, 1852 (Messler).
Veghte, Christopher and Catharine M. Wyckoff, Nov. 25, 1846 (Van Doren).
Veghte, Henry and Ann Maria Terhune, May 17, 1845 (Talmage).
Veghte, Henry V. and Elizabeth V. Schenck, Sept. 28, 1852 (Dater).
Veghte, Isaac and Ann Wilson, Jan. 2, 1817 (Zabriskie).
Veghte, Jacob C. and Maria N. Voorhees, Dec. 31, 1851 (Sears).
Veghte, John and Margaret Brokaw, Dec. 11, 1824 (Labagh).
Veghte, John and Mariah Staats, Aug. 28, 1827 (Zabriskie).
Veghte, John H. and Phebe S. Schenck, Nov. 19, 1844 (Messler).
Veghte, John H. and Kate M. Herder, Nov. 14, 1865 (Ludlow).
Veghte, John V. and Sophia Veghte, Aug. 24, 1851 (Craven).
Veghte, Nicholas and Cornelia Beekman, Aug. 1, 1813 (Labagh).
Veghte, Rynear and Sarah Swan, Oct. 16, 1823 (Boggs).
Veghte, Thomas and Julette Talmage, Oct. 21, 1835 (Whitehead).
Vehslage, Henry, Jr. and Harriet T. Delong, Nov. 12, 1861 (Cornell).
Veldran, William and Margaret G. Duyckinck, Oct. 23, 1850 (Blauvelt).

Vermule, Adrian and Maria Veghte, June 3, 1852 (Sears).
Ver Mule, Cornelius, Jr. and Margaret Pierson, Feb. 6, 1806 (Shelly).
Vermule, Elivimas and Catharine Coddington, Dec. 16, 1844 (Cox).
Vermulen, Frederick and Permelia Davis, Oct. 6, 1816 (Boggs).
Vermuele, Henry C. and Annie Giddis, Jan. 19, 1868 (Carmichael).
Vermulen, Isaac D. and Mary Field, Jan. 30, 1817 (Boggs).
Vermule, John and Mary Ann Acdor, Jan. 25, 1823 (Boggs).
Vermule, John I. and Polly Couvert, Dec. 25, 1822 (Cole).
Vermule, Leonard and Elsey Boice, Mar. 11, 1820 (Boggs).
Verness, David and Phebe Stryker, Dec. 24, 1857 (Mesick).
Vescelius, Isaac and Ellen Van Dervoort, Dec. 28, 1831 (Blauvelt).
Vescelius, John and Catharine Field, June 1, 1837 (Blauvelt).
Viccar, Peter M. and Ann Eliza Fitzpatrick, June —, 1829 (Blauvelt).
Virpelbach, Edward and Mary W. Davis, Oct. 27, 1859 (Ludlow).
Vlereboome, Peter and Libby LaTourette, Jan. 31, 1829 (Ludlow).
Vliet, Peter and Phebe Van Duyne, July 7, 1861 (Cornell).
Vliet, Richard and Ida Bunn, Jan. —, 1830 (Blauvelt).
Vliet, Richard S. and Elizabeth Swick, Oct. 10, 1867 (Blauvelt).
Vliet, Simon and Hannah Lowe, July 6, 1833 (Messler).
Vliet, Thodore F. and Mary Elizabeth Jeroloman, May 24, 1866 (Thompson).
Vliet, William and Catharine Wyckoff, July 22, 1836 (Zabriskie).
Vliet, William, Jr. and Lydia Ann Auten, May 27, 1843 (Blauvelt).
Vliet, William B. and Charity Smith, July 2, 1859 (Blauvelt).
Vohl, Jacob and Elizabeth Mantz, Jan. 6, 1859 (Folwell).
Voorhees, Abraham and Margaret Wyckoff, Dec. 21, 1804 (Studdiford).
Voorhees, Abraham and Eliza Simonson, Jan. 18, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, Abraham and Margaret Hains, Mar. 24, 1814 (McDowell).
Voorhees, Abraham and Catharine Fisher, Jan. 2, 1823 (Boggs).
Voorhees, Abraham and Eliza Whitlock, Feb. 22, 1837 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Abraham and Phebe Staats, Sept. 26, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Abraham and Catharine S. Veghte, Jan. 8, 1840 (Sears).
Voorhees, Abraham and Mary Stryker, Oct. 9, 1842 (Talmage).
Voorhees, Abraham and Martha Gulick, Feb. 26, 1852 (Sears).
Voorhees, Abraham and Susannah Maria Ten Eyck, Oct. 28, 1857 (Doolittle).
Voorhees, Abraham G. and Mary Moffit, Nov. 25, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, Abraham J. and Ida Van Liew, Feb. 13, 1817 (Fonde).
Voorhees, Abraham Van Dorn and Magie C. Jorolaman, Oct. 30, 1867 (Thompson).
Voorhees, Abraham V. and Lydia P. Hughes, Feb. 1, 1875 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Adam and Selah Van Middlesworth, Oct. 5, 1833 (Wilson).
Voorhees, Adam and Mary Dickerson, Sept. 26, 1852 (Dater).
Voorhees, Amadee F. and Rebecca H. Southard, Nov. 10, 1853 (Craven).
Voorhees, Andrew and Elizabeth Hixson, Oct. 17, 1832 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Andrew and Alletta Ann Garrabrant, Mar. 23, 1839 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Andrew Jackson and Esther Low, Oct. 18, 1849 (Blauvelt).
Voorhees, Benjamin V. D. and Mary E. Nevius, Dec. 15, 1859 (Doolittle).

Voorhees, Bergen and Ann Cooper Skillman, Feb. 26, 1857 (Romeyn).
Voorhees, Bergen B. and Marrietta Pittenger, Oct. 26, 1869 (Messler).
Voorhees, Bernard Stryker and Margaret Skillman, Dec. 15, 1852 (Sears).
Voorhees, C. and Sarah Jane Lattourette, Nov. 21, 1846 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, C. Van Marter W. and Charlotte E. Knowlton, Feb. 15, 1860 (Van Doren).
Voorhees, Christopher V. A. and Catharine Covert, Feb. 28, 1831 (Labagh).
Voorhees, Cornelius and Phebe Lewis, Dec. 1, 1812 (Hardenbergh).
Voorhees, Cornelius, Jr. and Catharine Smith, Dec. 9, 1812 (Hardenbergh).
Voorhees, Cornelius C. and Achsa Maria Scott, June 16, 1855 (Messler).
Voorhees, Courtlin and Jane Ann Stryker, Oct. 20, 1829 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Cyrenious T. and Elizabeth Whitenack, Nov. 27, 1842 (Talmage).
Voorhees, Daniel and Sarah Dowe, May 3, 1819 (Hardenbergh).
Voorhees, Daniel and Louisa Doty, Nov. 28, 1839 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, David and Rebecca Hagaman, Dec. 15, 1838 (Talmage).
Voorhees, David M. and Sarah O. Kelley, Oct. 23, 1840 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Derick and Ellenor Van Kirk, Oct. 22, 1808 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhies, Edward L. and Sarah R. Davenport, Oct. 3, 1872 (Gulsie).
Voorhees, Elbert S. and Rachel Suydam, May 27, 1842 (Sears).
Voorhees, Ezekiel and Amanda Hagaman, Jan. 7, 1841 (Talmage).
Voorhees, Ezekiel and Christiana Light, Jan. 1, 1853 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Frederic and Anna Louisa Metler, Oct. 6, 1858 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Garret and Betsy Van Doren, Mar. 30, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Voorhees, Garret and Margaret Montfort, Feb. 4, 1815 (Labagh).
Voorhees, Garret and Margaretta Baird, Nov. 18, 1857 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Garret and Selina Huff, Sept. 19, 1871 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Garret A. and Maria Van Derveer, Oct. 17, 1838 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Garret S. and Adaline Veghte, Oct. 10, 1837 (Sears).
Voorhees, George and Catharine Van Doren, Feb. 16, 1822 (Fisher).
Voorhees, George L. and Mary Jane Huff, Sept. 28, 1859 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Gerardus and Eleanor Smith, Oct. 8, 1863 (Messler).
Voorhees, Harrison and Mary Field, Dec. 31, 1846 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, Henry and Margaret L. Rulofson, Sept. 15, 1858 (LeFevre).
Voorhees, Henry P. and Margaret M. Hall, June 15, 1839 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Isaac and Amy Baker, Jan. 16, 1810 (Studdiford).
Voorhees, Isaac and ——— Dumond, Feb. 16, 1822 (Fisher).
Voorhees, Isaac and Mariah Lane, Dec. 18, 1822 (Fisher).
Voorhees, Isaac and Phebe Bayles, Oct. 13, 1836 (Wilson).
Voorhees, Isaac and Joanna Stryker, Jan. 30, 1850 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Isaac and Margaret H. Vliet, Jan. 20, 1853 (Van Doren).
Voorhees, Isaac A. and Catharine Hutchinson, Nov. 9, 1854 (Van Doren).
Voorhees, Isaac S. and Abigail Voorhees, June 5, 1813 (Labagh).
Voorhees, Isaac J. and Ann Eliza Garretson, Nov. 9, 1848 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, J. Van Cleef and Elizabeth Cortelyou, Dec. 12, 1847 (Sears).
Voorhees, Jacob and Rachel Powelson, Oct. 3, 1812 (Hardenbergh).

Voorhees, Jacob and Cornelia Stryker, May 22, 1817 (Labagh).
Voorhees, Jacob and Ellenor Cummings, Sept. 8, 1819 (Brownlee).
Voorhees, Jacob and Jane Stryker, Nov. 23, 1827 (Ludlow)
Voorhees, Jacob and Elizabeth Peterson, Dec. 28, 1848 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Jacob C. and Rebecca Ann Dunn, May 20, 1847 (Fish).
Voorhees, Jacob D. and Ellen Ann Hall, Nov. 30, 1870 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Jacob P. and Elizabeth Auten Lowe, Jan. 1, 1860 (Doolittle).
Voorhees, Jacob W. and Mariah L. Shultz, Jan. 22, 1842 (Van Doren).
Voorhees, Jacob W. and Martha A. Whitenack, Mar. 25, 1863 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Jacobus and Sarah Van Arsdalen, July 17, 1810 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, James and Amy Harris, Dec. 3, 1806 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, James and Rachel Hall, May 3, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, James and Jane McCollugh, July 5, 1840 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, James and Elizabeth Vliet, Mar. 9, 1847 (Van Doren).
Voorhees, James and Sarah Ann Van Natta, Feb. 20, 1861 (Messler).
Voorhees, James C. and Sarah Hoagland, Oct. 23, 1830 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, James C. and Mary Young, Oct. 29, 1842 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, James C. and Gertrude M. Cole, Feb. 14, 1875 (Messler).
Voorhees, James L. and Mariah Smith, Sept. 17, 1828 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, James V. D. and Sarah Vactor, Nov. 13, 1861 (Mesick).
Voorhees, Jaques and Ann Van Liew, Feb. 2, 1814 (Fonde).
Voorhees, Jaquis and Sarah Allen, Aug. 14, 1828 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, John and Elizabeth Powelson, Jan. 19, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Voorhees, John and Elizabeth Davis, Dec. 15, 1810 (Labagh).
Voorhees, John and Betsy Parker, Nov. 13, 1811 (Bent).
Voorhees, John and Ellen Golfry, Mar. 8, 1816 (Galpin).
Voorhees, John and Phebe Bateman, Apr. 3, 1819 (Galpin).
Voorhees, John and Elizabeth Skillman, Dec. 19, 1821 (Labagh).
Voorhees, John and Margaret Deforest, July 25, 1824 (Fisher).
Voorhees, John and Jane Honeyman, Feb. 12, 1825 (Galpin).
Voorhees, John and Eliza Voorhees, Nov. 8, 1826 (Van Kleek).
Voorhees, John and Margaret Ann Veghte, Nov. 4, 1840 (Sears).
Voorhees, John and Gertrude L. Brokaw, Oct. 18, 1849 (Gardner).
Voorhees, John and Harriet Brokaw, Nov. 27, 1873 (Pitcher).
Voorhees, John A. and Gertrude A. Bergen, Aug. 16, 1846 (Messler).
Voorhees, John Albert and Mary Ellen Elbertson, Sept. 27, 1866 (Searle).
Voorhees, John C. and Sarah Whitenack, Feb. 9, 1826 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, John C. and Anne Hudnot, Jan. 27, 1859 (Lockwood).
Voorhees, John D. and Mary E. Van Arsdale, Apr. 19, 1855 (Gardner).
Voorhees, John G. and Elizabeth McWilliams, July 9, 1836 (Blauvelt).
Voorhees, John H. and Ellenor Tunison, Dec. 28, 1808 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, John S. and Phebe Tunison, Sept. 8, 1831 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, John S. and Ann E. Opie, Mar. 4, 1854 (Gardner).
Voorhees, John S. and Mary G. Beauram, Sept. 15, 1860 (Gardner).
Voorhees, John V. P. and Abigail Jane Smith, Apr. 24, 1834 (Rodgers).

Voorhees, John W. and Maria Voorhees, Jan. 15, 1846 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Joseph and Dinah Voorhees, Dec. 2, 1817 (Labagh).
Voorhees, Joseph Hardenbergh and Garretta Van Syckle Vliet, July 9, 1864 (Blauvelt).
Voorhees, Lucas and Anne Emery, Apr. 19, 1806 (Studdiford).
Voorhees, Lucas and Mariah Cornell, Sept. 14, 1819 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Martin and Phebe Norris, Nov. 19, 1819 (Brownlee).
Voorhees, Martin and Mariah Cortelyou, Sept. 30, 1835 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Martin T. and Charlotte Stryker, Nov. 13, 1867 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Minnah and Jemima Suydam, Apr. 20, 1830 (Fisher).
Voorhees, Nicholas and Sarah Dumon, Apr. 18, 1818 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, Peter and Lemetha Simonson, Feb. 12, 1804 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, Peter and Betsy Van Nest, Sept. 14, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Voorhees, Peter and Rachel Ann Kline, Jan. 26, 1828 (Fisher).
Voorhees, Peter and Rebecca Baird, Mar. 6, 1850 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Peter and Maria L. Van Nuys, Oct. 9, 1850 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Peter and Ellenor Aller, June 16, 1857 (Lockwood).
Voorhees, Peter Dumont and Magaline Sutphen, June 28, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Peter O. and Frances Stryker, Mar. 10, 1827 (Labagh).
Voorhees, Peter R. and Penelope Lattourette, Feb. 23, 1843 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Peter Stryker and Ida French, Jan. 2, 1830 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, Peter V. A. and Ida J. Bellis, Oct. 22, 1853 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Priam and Dinah Jane Addis, Sept. 27, 1855 (Van Doren).
Voorhees, Ralph, Sr. and Elizabeth Brokaw, Sept. 14, 1848 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, Ralph and Ann B. Brokaw, Dec. 9, 1857 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, Richard and Amy Rickey, Mar. 12, 1836 (Rice).
Voorhees, Ruliff and Mary Patterson, Sept. 18, 1808 (Studdiford).
Voorhees, Ruliff and Hannah Van Fleet, June 11, 1818 (Galpin).
Voorhees, Rulaph and Margaret Van Arsdale, Dec. 5, 1860 (Brush).
Voorhees, Ruliff and Emma J. Clayson, Nov. 4, 1872 (Ludlow).
Voorhees, Ruliff N. and Rebecca Furlong, Sept. 30, 1863 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Rynear and Matilda Brokaw, Oct. 8, 1846 (Chambers).
Voorhees, Samuel and Agnes Tunison, Sept. 23, 1802 (Vredenburgh).
Voorhees, Samuel and Jane D. Elliott, Apr. 10, 1832 (Fisher).
Voorhees, Samuel and Kezia Winans, Nov. 4, 1865 (Bellis, J. P.).
Voorhees, Samuel and Elizabeth Louisa McCoy, May 24, 1869 (Pitcher).
Voorhees, Samuel B. and Annie M. Polhemus, Nov. 29, 1870 (Gardner).
Voorhees, Samuel S. and Elizabeth McMurtry, Nov. 13, 1861 (Rankin).
Voorhees, Simon P. and Jane A. Gulick, June 9, 1860 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, Stephen and Gertrude Sutphen, Oct. 5, 1843 (Zabriskei).
Voorhees, Stephen and Salina Stryker, Oct. 12, 1864 (Romeyn).
Voorhees, William and Catharine Stryker, May 27, 1841 (Zabriskie).
Voorhees, William and Susan Provost, Sept. 27, 1841 (Rodgers).
Voorhees, William and Mary Huffman, Aug. 15, 1857 (Messler).
Voorhees, William and Phebe Van Nest, Mar. 18, 1860 (Rankin).
Voorhees, William and Sarah Gaston, Nov. 2, 1869 (Carter).
Voorhees, William D. and Mary P. Garritson, Jan. 4, 1860 (Rodgers).
Vosseler, A. V. D. and Sarah Stryker, Apr. 25, 1833 (Rodgers).
Vosseller, George and Eliza Stryker, Apr. 2, 1827 (Van Kleek).

Vosler, Jacob and Sarah Deforest, Dec. 20, 1826 (Fisher).
Vosseller, James and Mary Stryker, Dec. 30, 1837 (Messler).
Vosseller, James, Jr. and Emily W. Fisher, Dec. 21, 1870 (Dutcher).
Vossler, James S. and Jennie E. Ball, June 26, 1863 (Mesick).
Vosseller, Oliver P. and Fannie Williamson, Oct. 22, 1874 (Messler).
Vosseller, William and Martha L. Noll, Apr. 26, 1876 (Doolittle).
Vosseller, William T. H. and Cornelia W. Dunn, Oct. 25, 1876 (Clark).
Vredenburgh, Isaac and Esther Andree, Feb. 13, 1813 (Vredenburgh).
Vredenburgh, Joseph V. D. and Elizabeth Beekman, Jan. 24, 1837 (Messler).
Vredenburgh, Larue R. and Blandina B. Elmendorf, Apr. 17, 1844 (Messler).
Vreeland, Jacob and Permelia Van Dyke, Nov. 21, 1849 (Romeyn).
Vreeland, Jacob and Mary Jane Voorhees, Dec. 27, 1858 (Romeyn).
Vreeland, Jacob and Louisa Updyke, Oct. 8, 1862 (Romeyn).
Vreeland, John and Sophia Van Cleef, Sept. 18, 1861 (Gardner).
Vreeland, John J. and Sarah Maria Hastnick, Oct. 25, 1854 (Romeyn).
Vreeland, Minedert and Lizzie Manderville, Nov. 28, 1866 (Gesner).
Vreeland, William C. and Eleanor Van Doren, Jan. 1, 1863 (Van Doren).
Vreeland, William Henry and Mary Ann Stryker, Dec. 6, 1854 (Romeyn).
Vroom, Andrew and Mariah Ditmars, Oct. 13, 1836 (Zabriskie).
Vroom, Edward B. and Catharine Ten Eyck, Feb. 9, 1811 (Studdiford).
Vroom, George and Rachel Ann Van Nest, Oct. 22, 1835 (Fisher).
Vroom, Jacob and Matty Wyckoff, Dec. 20, 1797 (Studdiford).
Vroom, James and Jane Messler, Dec. 16, 1837 (Messler).
Vroom, John and Cornelia Cork, Feb. 2, 1820 (McColm).
Vroome, Peter and Ellen Ten Eyck, May 20, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Vroom, Peter and Sophia Ditmars, Jan. 31, 1810 (Studdiford).
Vroom, Peter D. and Ann Dumont, May 21, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Vroom, Peter D. and Eliza Van Doren, May 14, 1832 (Wilson).
Vroom, Peter D. and Samantha Stryker, Oct. 26, 1853 (Dater).
Vroom, Peter V. and Louisa M. Lane, Nov. 26, 1873 (Blauvelt).
Vroom, Philip and Deborah Tunison, May 30, 1812 (Vredenburgh).

Letter W

Wack, Elias T. and Adaline Park Felmlee, Feb. 15, 1877 (Blauvelt).
Wadsworth, George W. and Josephine A. Squier, Mar. 5, 1874 (Le Fevre).
Wagner, William and Eliza Gatesman, Feb. 14, 1822 (Boggs).
Wagoner, John and Matilda Macklin, May 9, 1849 (Ballard).
Wagoner, John A. G. and Anna Eliza Van Cleef, Oct. 22, 1873 (Doolittle).
Wahn, John and Frances Horn, Nov. 16, 1851 (Van Doren).
Wakeham, Peter and Catharine Van Tuyle, Sept. 21, 1848 (Rodgers).
Wakeman, Sanford B. and Catharine Van Vliet, Sept. 12, 1854 (Gardner).
Waldmayer, Franz Joseph and Edmande Blamburg, Jan. 4, 1863 (Neef).
Waldron, Benjamin and Elizabeth Allwood, May 30, 1849 (Palmy).
Waldron, Cornelius and Christiana Giddes, Dec. 23, 1830 (Rodgers).

Waldron, Cornelius L. and Margaret Colther, Apr. 2, 1840 (Rodgers).
Waldron, James and Mary Todd, July 13, 1844 (English).
Waldron, John and Maria Van Vliet, Mar. 1, 1800 (Studdiford).
Waldron, John and Keziah Hersel, Apr. 22, 1826 (Fisher).
Waldron, Lefferd and Hannah Coon, Oct. 28, 1815 (Boggs).
Waldron, Lefferd and Charlotte Frazee, June 15, 1836 (Rodgers).
Waldron, Lefferd and Josephine Davenport, Dec. 14, 1864 (Rodgers).
Waldron, Patterson and Keziah More, Dec. 21, 1844 (English).
Waldron, Peter and Mary Ellen Francis, Nov. 23, 1843 (Campbell).
Waldron, Peter and Hannah Van Nuys, Mar. 22, 1866 (Hill, J. P.).
Waldron, Peter L. and Louisa West, Jan. 23, 1858 (Carrell).
Waldrun, Rhuben and Mercy Coon, Apr. 6, 1822 (Watson).
Waldron, Samuel I. and Ellen Ann Miner, Apr. 9, 1831 (Ludlow).
Waldron, Solomon and Mary Hextell, May 10, 1853 (Cammann, J. P.).
Waldron, William and Magdalene Latourette, Feb. 20, 1830 (Ludlow).
Waldron, William H. and Ruth Ann Myrire, Dec. 20, 1866 (Snyder).
Walker, John and Mary Voorhees, Nov. 11, 1827 (Zabriskie).
Walkins, Stephen and Sarah Larison, Jan. 29, 1801 (Finley).
Wall, Gershon and Mary Hoagland, Oct. 7, 1841 (Ludlow).
Wallace, William and Cordelia F. Grigg, Feb. 18, 1874 (Rodgers).
Wallace, William M. B. and Permelia Cap, Nov. 5, 1814 (Miller, J. P.).
Wallen, Alfred D. and Mary Peppard, May 4, 1848 (Harris).
Wallen, Daniel and Nancy Leach, Jan. 13, 1807 (Finley).
Ward, John W. and Theodosia Verbryck, Nov. 20, 1850 (Messler).
Ward, Robert and Sarah K. Biggs, Oct. 23, 1849 (English).
Ward, Thomas and Rachel Graham, Apr. 12, 1798 (Finley).
Warner, William and Mary Ann Huffman, Oct. 31, 1844 (Salter).
Warner, William and Margaret Conover, July 3, 1847 (Fish).
Warren, Richard H. and Aletta D. Hall, Apr. 7, 1841 (Ludlow).
Washing, William H. and Hannah M. Schenck, Aug. 12, 1847 (Ludlow).
Washington, George and Christian Peterson, Oct. 25, 1867 (Rowland).
Washington, James and Amelia Cochran, Feb. 18, 1875 (Gardner).
Washington, William H. and Hannah M. Schenck, Aug. 12, 1847 (Ludlow).
Waterfield, Henry and Ann Guy, May 24, 1778 (Barclay).
Waterhouse, Charles and Miriam Whitely, Dec. 31, 1870 (LeFevre).
Waterhouse, John and Dinah Still, Nov. 21, 1857 (Doolittle).
Waterman, William D. and Susan D. Frelinghuysen, Sept. 16, 1839 (Messler).
Waters, David and Henrietta Space, Aug. 24, 1865 (Doolittle).
Waters, William and Mary Ann Cane, May 15, 1830 (Labagh).
Waterson, Benjamin Joseph and Elizabeth Case, Apr. 19, 1823 (Brownlee).
Watts, Clarkson and Amy Eliza Moffat, Mar. 7, 1863 (Rodgers).
Watts, John and Mary Coon, Oct. 1, 1825 (Boggs).
Watts, Joseph and Sarah King, Oct. 11, 1806 (Woodhull).
Watts, Joseph and Hannah Willet, Jan. 21, 1832 (Cox).
Watts, Philip C. and Susan Maria Myers, Sept. 2, 1843 (Cox).
Watts, Robert and Sarah Lody, Dec. 6, 1845 (Badgley).

Weart, Emely and Ellen Ann Newell, Dec. 15, 1863 (Voorhees).
Weart, Jared S. and Ann Schenck, Feb. 5, 1856 (Carrell).
Wearts, Theodore and Amelia H. Simpson, Apr. 30, 1872 (Gardner).
Wearts, William and Margaret Belles, Oct. 16, 1839 (Demarest).
Wert, William and Sarah V. Schenck, Nov. 27, 1862 (Ludlow).
Weart, William and Sarah Herbert, May 30, 1866 (Rodgers).
Wearts, William Alfred and Kate Griggs, Dec. 4, 1850 (Romeyn).
Weaver, John W. and Sardinia A. Ayres, Dec. 19, 1861 (Doolittle).
Weaver, Peter and Susan Tunison, Feb. 23, 1833 (Ludlow).
Weber, Charles H. and Maria Louisa Miller, Apr. 9, 1877 (Eaton).
Webster, Charles H. and Elizabeth Van Vactor, Nov. 2, 1862 (Morse).
Webster, Edmond and Susan Jackson, Oct. 15, 1829 (Voorhees).
Webster, Edward A. and Helen Collyer, June 8, 1854 (Rankin).
Webster, William and Amy Mount, Feb. 16, 1813(Vredenburgh).
Webster, Zackariah and Agnes E. Marsh, Feb. 23, 1821 (Terhune).
Wectar, Charles E. and Mary Connor, Dec. 29, 1857 (Romeyn).
Wegging, John and Catharine Rose, Jan. 17, 1846 (English).
Weldon, James S. and Martha Augusta Field, Jan. 17, 1877 (Blauvelt).
Wellen, John and Ann Wortman, Apr. 13, 1820 (Vredenburgh).
Weller, Joseph H. and Frances Cronkright, July 12, 1876 (McWilliam).
Wells, Edmund D. and Anna Bayles, Mar. 5, 1878 (Scofield).
Wells, William and Mary Edmunds, Feb. 10, 1831 (Ludlow).
Welsh, Abraham and Rachel Angleman, July 7, 1845 (Harris).
Welsh, Edward and Eliza McDurmunt, July 7, 1834 (Eastburn).
Welsh, John and Martha B. Hagaman, Dec. 4, 1862 (Blauvelt).
Welsh, Patrick and Mary Cork, July 24, 1804 (Miller).
Welsh, Peter and Martha V. Honeyman, Feb. 24, 1864 (Blauvelt).
Welsh, William and Cornelia Wyckoff, June 20, 1807 (Studdiford).
Welstead, Edward and Ann Updike, Mar. 6, 1809 (Vredenburgh).
Welton, Ebenezer and Julia E. Emmons, Jan. 1, 1866 (Boswell).
Wendel, John and Franziska Adams, Mar. 23, 1863 (Neef).
Were, John and Ann Bockoven, Feb. 28, 1833 (Maynard).
Werhan, William and Martha Staats, Nov. 17, 1875 (Pool).
Weslick, Samuel and Amy Mepler, Feb. 23, 1800 (Snowden).
Wesner, William and Margaret Dilts, Jan. 5, 1839 (Demarest).
West, Andrew J. and Sarah Stout, Oct. 26, 1853 (Dater).
West, Jacob W. and Clarissa D. Cramer, Apr. 6, 1844 (Ludlow).
West, John W. and Sarah Emma Blue, Oct. 10, 1861 (Romeyn).
Weste, Theodore and Rachel Totten, Oct. 28, 1846 (Ludlow).
West, William and Lydia Ann Brown, Nov. 6, 1850 (Rowland).
Westcott, James Franklin and Ella Carr, Dec. 20, 1869 (Westcott).
Weston, Peter and Annie L. Bartolette, Nov. 17, 1869 (Doolittle).
Whalen, Patsey and Ellen Grimes, Jan. 19, 1877 (Sutphen, J. P.).
Whales, ——— and Lettie ———, May 15, 1839 (Birch).
Wheaton, Samuel and Gertie Wyckoff, Jan. 30, 1796 (Studdiford).
Wheeland, Francis and Amelia Coryell, Jan. 17, 1865 (Searle).
White, Amos and Sarah Tunison, Apr. 6, 1819 (Kirkpatrick).
White, Rev. Aurley D. and Alice Ann Schenck, May 25, 1846 (Sears).
White, John and Elizabeth Hurtwait, Feb. 18, 1852 (Gardner).
White, John B. and Anna Miller, Aug. 29, 1874 (Oliver).

Whitehead, Daniel and Sarah Brokaw, Sept. 14, 1805 (Vredenburgh).
Whitehead, Isaac and Mary Van Court, Sept. 5, 1812 (Vredenburgh).
Whitehead, Jacob and Elizabeth Voseler, Jan. 20, 1816 (Vredenburgh).
Whitehead, Jacob and Elizabeth Lowe, Dec. 18, 1832 (Ludlow).
Whitehead, Jacob and Catherine Myers, Sept. 21, 1842 (Rodgers).
Whitehead, Jacob and Josephine Crammer, Mar. 5, 1864 (Romeyn).
Whitehead, James C. and Eliza Ann Rosgrant, Jan. 24, 1835 (Ludlow).
Whitehead, Robert and Margaret Van Dervoort, Dec. 19, 1830 (Blauvelt).
Whitehead, Samuel and Susan Van Court, Jan. 12, 1839 (Rodgers).
Whitenack, Abraham and Sarah Ann Voorhees, Nov. 6, 1842 (Talmage).
Whitenack, Abraham, Jr. and Ann Stryker, Dec. 9, 1829 (Ludlow).
Whitenack, Abraham C. and Martha Dumont, Dec. 21, 1853 (Messler).
Whitenack, Andrew T. and Mary B. C. Allpaw, Oct. 18, 1865 (Gardner).
Whitenack, Cornelius and Sarah Van Nostrand, Jan. 17, 1820 (Hardenbergh).
Whitenack, Cornelius and Sarah Ditmas, Apr. 8, 1830 (Zabriskie).
Whitenack, Cornelius and Nancy Bullock, Nov. 27, 1834 (Wilson).
Whitenack, Cornelius, Jr. and Catharine Skillman, Nov. 6, 1809 (Stryker).
Whitenack, Daniel and Elizabeth Jerolaman, July 5, 1824 (Fisher).
Whitenack, Elias and Mary Swain, Sept. 27, 1821 (Brownlee).
Whitenack, Isaac and Phebe Stagg, Mar. 1, 1821 (Brownlee).
Whitenack, Isaac and Maria Cooper, June 16, 1841 (Ludlow).
Whitenack, Jeremiah and Letty Quick, Dec. 21, 1826 (Zabriskie).
Whitenack, John and Ann Fisher, Mar. 5, 1837 (Messler).
Whitenack, John and Elizabeth McBride, Nov. 1, 1852 (Brush).
Whitenack, John A. and Agnes J. Ames, Nov. 19, 1862 (Brush).
Whitenack, Joseph C. and Susan Morgan, Nov. 20, 1824 (Zabriskie).
Whitenack, Joseph R. and Elizabeth Whitenack, Nov. 29, 1854 (Ludlow).
Whitenack, Richard and Sarah Smith, April 26, 1864 (Craven).
Whitenack, Simon and Betsey Garrison, May 16, 1835 (Rodgers).
Whitenack, Thomas and Sally Brees, Feb. 15, 1802 (Finley).
Whitenack, Thomas, Esq., and Mary Guerin, Dec. 26, 1822 (Brownlee).
Whitenack, Thomas and Sarah Talmage, Mar. 25, 1835 (Messler).
Whitenack, William H. and Alletta Willis, Dec. 8, 1855 (Rankin).
Whitenack, William W. and Elizabeth Stryker, Oct. 28, 1841 (Ludlow).
Whitenack, William W. and Helen Stephens, Feb. 14, 1849 (Harris).
Whitiker, Nathaniel and Ruth Hains, May 2, 1797 (Finley).
Whitiker, Stephen and Mary Crop, Feb. 2, 1802 (Finley).
Whitlock, Israel and Caroline B. Mundy, May 14, 1853 (Rodgers).
Whitlock, Jacob and Jane Smith, Jan. 1, 1835 (Messler).
Whitlock, John V. and Catharine A. Wyckoff, Mar. 1, 1866 (Gardner).
Whitlock, J. McClean and Frances King, Mar. 8, 1855 (Romeyn).
Whitlock, Matthew H. and Arriet Van Dyke, Jan. 15, 1835 (Ludlow).
Whitlock, Reuben and Mary A. Tiger, Feb. 27, 1857 (Brush).
Whitlock, Victor and Helena Beekman, Jan. 2, 1853 (Gardner).
Whitlock, William and Mary Hageman, Oct. 25, 1834 (Dougherty).

Whitlock, William and Abigail Skillman, Mar. 14, 1837 (Rice).
Whitlock, William B. and Ellen Paterson, Mar. 26, 1828 (Labagh).
Whitman, Thomas C. and Georgiana I. Aitken, Nov. 29, 1860 (Morse).
Wick, John B. and Delia J. Tuttle, Oct. 16, 1824 (Brownlee).
Wightman, John and Catherine Melvin, Nov. 19, 1869 (Doolittle).
Wilhelm, Julius and Mary Miller, Mar. 1, 1863 (Neef).
Wilhelm, Michael and Elizabeth Herlich, Jan. 26, 1860 (Neef).
Wilhelm, Peter and Catharine Friday, Aug. 21, 1859 (Neef).
Wilkinson, John and Elizabeth Malone, Jan. 3, 1852 (Yard).
Willcox, Erastus and Mary Voorhees, July 17, 1836 (Cox).
Wilcox, James C. and Sarah McCard, Oct. 5, 1859 (English).
Wilcox, Robert E. and Mary S. Vosseler, Nov. 13, 1862 (Mesick).
Willcox, Theodore and Annie R. Stroud, July 10, 1864 (Morse).
Wilcox, William R. and Martha A. Van Dyke, May 21, 1868 (Schenck).
Willet, Allen and Sarah Ralph, May 17, 1825 (Coon, J. P.).
Willet, Charles Henry and Ellen Wray, Feb. 18, 1872 (Voorhees, J. P.).
Willet, Cornelius and Hannah McKinstry, Mar. 26, 1818 (Galpin).
Willett, Harrison and Rachel Stites, Aug. 1, 1846 (Moore).
Willets, Thomas and Caty Teeple, July 14, 1808 (Hardenbergh).
William and Dian, Dec. 29, 1821 (Galpin).
William ——— and Clarrisa Johnson, Aug. 14, 1823 (Stout).
Williams, Bradley and Martha Voorhees, Dec. 31, 1816 (Labagh).
Williams, Bradley and Dinah Sutphin, Jan. 6, 1822 (Zabriskie).
Williams, Charles and Maria Jewell, Mar. 6, 1841 (Rodgers).
Williams, Charles and Louisa Van Vechten, May 25, 1861 (Rodgers).
Williams, Charles and Mary Nash (Col'd), Aug. 26, 1869 (Messler).
Williams, Cornelius and Phebe Roff, Dec. 25, 1833 (Rodgers).
Williams, David and Mary Ann Bunn, Oct. 1, 1857 (Blauvelt).
Williams, Ebenezer and Sally Coryl, Mar. 17, 1819 (Brownlee).
Williams, Edwin and Mariah Hays, Dec. 25, 1824 (Boggs).
Williams, Henry I. and Maggie Pickell, Mar. 6, 1878 (Doolittle).
Williams, James and Fanny DeGroot, Jan. 9, 1850 (Cammann, J. P.).
Williams, John and Fanny Horton, Feb. 6, 1817 (Vredenburgh).
Williams, Joseph and Margaret Moore, Sept. 2, 1866 (Snyder).
Williams, Obadiah and Mary Long, June 2, 1815 (Bray, J. P.).
Williams, Peter M. and Louisa N. Wyckoff. (No date), (Pitcher).
Williams, Philip T. and Sarah J. Little, Mar. 10, 1869 (Doolittle).
Williams, William and Eliza Duryea, June 22, 1826 (Zabriskie).
Williamson, Abraham and Adaline Stryker, Feb. 2, 1842 (Zabriskie).
Williamson, Charles and Sidney Van Kirk, Nov. 27, 1841 (Chambers).
Williamson, Cornelius and Catharine Simonson, Aug. 24, 1788 (Studdiford).
Williamson, Cornelius and Magdalen Slate, Apr. 26, 1802 (Studdiford).
Williamson, Cornelius and Mahala Bishop, Sept. 30, 1820 (Boggs).
Williamson, Cornelius C. and Cordelia H. Barrows, Sept. 16, 1854 (Ludlow).
Williamson, Cornelius M. and Catherine Torbet, July 7, 1836 (Messler).
Williamson, Cornelius S. and Joanna Bilyou, June 24, 1851 (Ludlow).
Williamson, Cornelius W. and Sarah Huff, Jan. 12, 1856 (Ludlow).
Williamson, Francis and Betty Van Pelt, Oct. 4, 1828 (Kershow).

Williamson, George and Mary Cane, Apr. 27, 1817 (Boggs).
Williamson, George and Sarah Wilson, Dec. 28, 1835 (Messler).
Williamson, Henry and Mary Hanvil, July 19, 1823 (Brownlee).
Williamson, Isaac V. D. and Maria L. Schenck, Dec. 26, 1851 (Ludlow).
Williamson, Jack and Caty Williamson, Oct. 29, 1831 (Ludlow).
Williamson, Jacob Suydam and Catherine Duryee, Apr. 4, 1838 (Talmage).
Williamson, James A. and Mary S. Hardenburg, Apr. 22, 1840 (Birch).
Williamson, James H. and Phillis Staats, Oct. 3, 1846 (Rodgers).
Williamson, John and Mary Prickets Dayton, July 5, 1813 (Finley).
Williamson, John and Mary Skillman, June, 1864 (Romeyn).
Williamson, Johnson and Catherine Conrow, Mar. 1, 1828 (Van Kleek).
Williamson, Koert and Margaret Lake, Aug. 31, 1817 (Labagh).
Williamson, Lucas and Ann S. Baker, Jan. 28, 1835 (Sears).
Williamson, Martin S. and Lydia Wilson, Dec. 8, 1846 (Zabriskie).
Williamson, Moses C. and Mary R. Southard, Dec. 1, 1848 (Brown).
Williamson, Theodore and Gertrude Hagaman, Jan. 3, 1847 (Sears).
Williamson, William J. and Jane Voorhees, Apr. 7, 1847 (Sears).
Willis, Roamy and Eliza Blazer, May 16, 1822 (Brownlee).
Wilson, Abraham D. and Frances J. Corle, Nov. 19, 1862 (Ludlow).
Wilson, Charles and Margaret Compton, June 17, 1812 (Hardenbergh).
Wilson, Christopher N. and Maria E. Van Zandt, Nov. 12, 1867 (Mesick).
Wilson, Cornelius S. and Abigail Tunison, Feb. 20, 1860 (Brush).
Willson, David J. and Sarah M. Moffet, July 26, 1867 (Carmicheal).
Wilson, Dow D. and Jane Merrill, Mar. 12, 1825 (Zabriskie).
Wilson, Elias and Ann E. Peterson, Nov. 11, 1852 (Dater).
Wilson, Elias V. C. and Jane Nevius, Sept. 24, 1840 (Zabriskie).
Wilson, Eugene Halleck and Lydia Adeline Powelson, Oct. 11, 1865 (Van Cleef).
Wilson, Garret P. and Maria S. Van Nest, Nov. 2, 1870 (Searle).
Wilson, George and Margaret Lehigh, Dec. 31, 1861 (Rodgers).
Willson, Henry and Mary Ann Schenck, Dec. 30, 1824 (Boggs).
Wilson, Henry and Catherine Ann Baird, Jan. 1, 1834 (Ludlow).
Wilson, Henry E. and Dora Craig Sebring, Nov. 4, 1876 (Mesick).
Wilson, Jacob and Elizabeth Aecher, June 30, 1832 (Ludlow).
Wilson, Joel and Hannah Boyle, May 13, 1833 (Cox).
Willson, James and Eleanor Arrowsmith, Aug. 4, 1802 (Schureman).
Wilson, John and Hannah Wyckoff, Jan. 24, 1818 (Zabriskie).
Vilson, John and Annie Seader, Jan. 2, 1876 (Rowland).
Vilson, John Henry and Elizabeth S. Van Vliet, Dec. 31, 1861 (Brush).
Vilson, John L. and Sarah Suydam, Dec. 10, 1851 (Sears).
Vilson, Leoanard and Sarah E. Housel, Jan. 11, 1865 (Voorhees).
Vilson, Louis Napoleon and Gertrude Anna Thomas, June 16, 1875 (Rowland).
Wilson, Princeleps and Julia J. Thompson, Feb. 6, 1873 (Pitcher).
Wilson, Robert and Celia Alexandrinia Crichton, June 15, 1874 (Rowland).
Wilson, Rynear M. and Mary K. Van Fleet, Oct. 10, 1866 (Putnam).
Wilson, Squire and Mariah Egbert, Mar. 22, 1823 (Watson).

Wilson, Theodore and Mary Staats, Oct. 22, 1861 (Whitney).
Wilson, William and Catharine Roseboom, Jan. 24, 1811 (Vredenburgh).
Wilson, William and Jane Bergen, Oct. 2, 1817 (Zabriskie).
Wilson, William and Judith Dow, Jan. 10, 1828 (Fisher).
Wilson, William and Jane Van Veghten, Dec. 23, 1834 (Messler).
Wilson, William and Jane Ann Van Middlesworth, Jan. 20, 1853 (Gardner).
Wilson, William and Cornelia A. Howell, Jan. 26, 1854 (Nice).
Wilson, William and Mary Jane Hoagland, Dec. 26, 1860 (Gardner).
Wilson, William and Helen Flanagan, Aug. 20, 1870 (Rowland).
Wilson, William B. and Mary Baird, Nov. 7, 1877 (Hart).
Wilson, William K. and Catharine Cain, June 1, 1865 (Boswell).
Wilson, Zachariah, Jr. and Abby Elizabeth Little, June 28, 1851 (English).
Winans, James and Elizabeth Shotwell, Oct. 19, 1850 (Rodgers).
Winans, John L. and Rachel Mann, Dec. 1, 1842 (Cox).
Winans, Jonathan N. and Jane Brown, Dec. 12, 1833 (Messler).
Winans, Lewis and Susan Harris, Dec. 21, 1844 (Cox).
Winans, Peter and Rachel Ann Martin, July 30, 1862 (Clark).
Winans, Philip and Hannah Titus, Nov. 4, 1843 (Cox).
Winans, William and Charity Giddes, Aug. 2, 1823 (Watson).
Winget, James H. and Catherine Smith, Feb. 25, 1857 (Brush).
Winn, Josiah and Ann Townley, Aug. 23, 1834 (Cox).
Winne, Ira N. and Mary Ann Voorhees, Dec. 7, 1865 (Rankin).
Winsor, Thomas and Letty Christopher, Oct. 18, 1839 (Zabriskie).
Winsor, William and Eleanor B. Dunn, Feb. 24, 1847 (Messler).
Wintersteen, James and Mary Casner, Nov. 8, 1804 (Vredenburgh).
Wishop, Andrew Hunter and Isabella Hunter, Dec. 20, 1843 (Campbell).
Wittenburgh, Louis and Anna Maria Wareham, Sept. 24, 1864 (Messler).
Woberton, William and Ann Hoagland, Jan. 19, 1828 (Ludlow).
Wolfe, Austin and Eliza Conways, Nov. 19, 1870 (LeFevre).
Wolfe, Daniel and Mary Logan, Feb. 17, 1831 (Blauvelt).
Wolf, Gilbert and Phebe Sturges, Apr. 30, 1825 (Brownlee).
Wolf, Jacob and Polly Cole, May 22, 1818 (Hardenbergh).
Wolf, Jacob S. and Eliza Ann Longstreet, Oct. 21, 1840 (Talmage).
Wolfe, John D. and Alletta Tyger, Feb. 22, 1820 (Hardenbergh).
Wolf, Peter and Deborah Allen, Sept. 14, 1850 (Harris).
Wolfe, Thomas C. and Nancy Savidge, Sept. 12, 1822 (Brownlee).
Wolf, William and Mariah Quimby, Dec. 5, 1822 (Brownlee).
Wolverton, Tobias H. and Martha E. Manners, Nov. 7, 1874 (Oliver).
Wolverton, Whitfield and Catharine V. Vactor, Oct. 2, 1853 (Craven).
Wolverton, William and Mary S. Foster, Mar. 23, 1867 (Ludlow).
Wood, Adna and Ann Cole, June 6, 1801 (Snowden).
Wood, Emanuel and Ann E. Biggs, Mar. 1, 1862 (Brush).
Wood, James B. and Hannah L. Loomis, June 6, 1845 (Harris).
Wood, Jesse and Jane Tunison, Jan. 10, 1803 (Vredenburgh).
Wood, Melancthon P. and Elisabeth W. Davis, May 22, 1872 (Ludlow).
Wood, Peter and Ann Thompson, Jan. 3, 1862 (Cammann, J. P.).
Wood, William and Catherine J. Ditmars, Sept. 4, 1861 (Gardner).

Woods, Charles M. and Ann Eliza Higgs, May 15, 1871 (Rodgers).
Woods, Charles N. and Thomasine Cook, Apr. 1, 1858 (Rodgers).
Woods, Joseph M. and Mercy Ann Watts, June 5, 1858 (Messler).
Woodhull, Hedges and Katy Eoffe, Apr. 30, 1809 (Hardenbergh).
Wooding, Peter and Margaret Cory, Mar. 18, 1840 (Cox).
Woodruff, John H. and Harriet Ludlow, Oct. 25, 1864 (Morse).
Woodward, Charles W. and Mary Elizabeth DeCoster, June 4, 1846 (Harris).
Woodward, Levi and Sarah Cole, June 6, 1801 (Snowden).
Woodward, Matthew W., M. D., to Mary Elizabeth Vredenburgh, Apr. 11, 1878 (Mesick).
Woodward, Richard S. and Julia Ann Van Doren, Dec. 31, 1831 (Fisher).
Woodward, Theodore and Sarah E. Stevens, Feb. 8, 1857 (Rankin).
Woodward, William and Harriet Allen, Feb. 21, 1844 (Harris).
Wooly, John W. and Ella Gardner, June 15, 1872 (Boswell).
Woolley, Wardel and Mary Vermule Tunison, Sept. 30, 1841 (Schenck).
Woolweaver, William H. and Lina Allshouse, Dec. 7, 1871 (Gardner).
Worldly, Peter and Jane Van Dike, Dec. 2, 1806 (Vredenburgh).
Wortendyke, Jacob K. and Susan J. Doremus, June 2, 1852 (Messler).
Worthington, Henry C. and Louisa Grant, Oct. 20, 1869 (Rodgers).
Wortman, Andrew and Polly Dowe, Apr. 16, 1802 (Schureman).
Wortman, David H. and Phebe L. Dumont, Nov. 18, 1858 (Doolittle).
Wortman, David S. and Margaret Ann Hall, Nov. 27, 1862 (Daniels).
Wortman, Dick and Nancy Van Derveer, Aug. 24, 1833 (Fisher).
Wortman, Hugh R. and Minerva Howell, Jan. 29, 1851 (Craig).
Wortman, Isaac and Louisa Cain, Jan. 4, 1866 (Rodgers).
Wortman, James T. and Carrie Brown, May 18, 1875 (Baldwin).
Wortman, John and Catharine Van Neste, Dec. 27, 1810 (Hardenbergh).
Wortman, John and Elizabeth Dilley, June 29, 1818 (Galpin).
Wortman, John and Sophia Cooper, Nov. 14, 1827 (Van Kleek).
Wortman, John and Clemintine Stout, Nov. 6, 1834 (Fisher).
Wortman, John and Mary Ann Tiger, Dec. 17, 1856 (Brush).
Wortman, Peter P. and Rebecca Quick Belles, June 29, 1848 (Van Doren).
Wortman, William and Mary Ten Eyck, Aug. 31, 1809 (Studdiford).
Wortman, William and Catharine Ann Tunison, Jan. 18, 1827 (Fisher).
Wright, Alexander G. and Jane Shann, May 8, 1845 (Messler).
Wright, Preser and Phebe Ann Sutton, May 17, 1846 (Rodgers).
Wright, Savage and Jane Runyon, Oct. 31, 1818 (Boggs).
Wright, Thomas and Rosey Voorhees (Col'd), Oct., 1874 (McWilliam).
Wright, Zabasco and Margaret McKissack, Mar. 22, 1814 (McDowell).
Write, Thomas J. and Susan Ann Anderson, June 2, 1867 (Gilder).
Wyckoff, Aaron and Jane Stryker, July 22, 1855 (Ludlow).
Wyckoff, Abraham and Catharine Voorhees, Sept. 10, 1814 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, Abraham and Susan Guild, Mar. 27, 1826 (Boggs).
Wyckoff, Abram and Sarah Ann Aporile, Nov. 21, 1854 (Romeyn).
Wyckoff, Alexander and Catharine D. Cray, May 27, 1877 (Hart).
Wyckoff, Benjamin Van Doren and Lucretia Skillman, Apr. 17, 1850 (Romeyn).

Wyckoff, Christian and Letitia Conover, Jan. 24, 1838 (Shultz).
Wyckoff, Cornelius and Catharine Wyckoff, Feb. 23, 1797 (Harlingen).
Wyckoff, Cornelius and Dinah Van Cleef, May 23, 1822 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, Cornelius M. and Mary Nevius, May 12, 1842 (Schenck).
Wyckoff, Cornelius M. and Elizabeth A. Schomp, Jan. 13, 1869 (Pool).
Wyckoff, Daniel D. and Eliza Matthews, July 27, 1845 (Chambers).
Wyckoff, Dennis G. and Matilda Wolverton, Feb. 3, 1849 (Brown).
Wyckoff, Garret and Cornelia Ann Garretson, Dec. 30, 1835 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, Garret P. and Sarah Van Doren, June 5, 1835 (Wilson).
Wyckoff, George and Mary Waldron, Dec. 25, 1822 (Ludlow).
Wyckoff, George and Lydia Jane Craig, Nov. 21, 1840 (Harris).
Wyckoff, George A. and Catharine Clickenger, Jan. 26, 1817 (Hardenbergh).
Wyckoff, Henry and Jane Kline, Apr. 11, 1806 (Studdiford).
Wyckoff, Henry and Kate M. Foster, Apr. 14, 1866 (Ludlow).
Wyckoff, Henry H. and Elizabeth Vroom, Jan. 20, 1827 (Fisher).
Wyckoff, Isaac and Harriet Polhemus, Mar. 4, 1860 (Van Doren).
Wyckoff, Isaac L. and Helen Cole, Jan. 16, 1858 (Conins).
Wyckoff, Isaac N. and Margaret Ann Smith, Oct. 4, 1849 (Van Doren).
Wyckoff, Jacob and Drusilla Van Kirk, Dec. 1, 1810 (Bent).
Wyckoff, Jacob and Mary Hageman, May 23, 1812 (Stout, J. P.).
Wyckoff, Jacob Brewer and Ann Stryker, Jan. 19, 1831 (Labagh).
Wyckoff, Jacob D. and Maria Vroom, June 1, 1814 (Vredenburgh).
Wyckoff, Rev. James and Anna V. N. DeForest, July 15, 1864 (Messler).
Wyckoff, Jerome R. and Mary Ellen Van Liew, Dec. 7, 1841 (Van Doren).
Wyckoff, John and Mary Updyke, June 8, 1806 (Stout, J. P.).
Wyckoff, John and Mariah Voorhees, Oct. 31, 1810 (Labagh).
Wyckoff, John and Elizabeth Auten, Feb. 14, 1822 (Boggs).
Wyckoff, John and Mary Ellen Fisher, Nov. 29, 1835 (Messler).
Wyckoff, John A. and Aluv(?) Wyckoff, Dec. 23, 1843 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, John B. and Jane Baird, Jan. 1, 1845 (Ludlow).
Wyckoff, John H. and Gertrude J. Brees, Apr. 27, 1870 (Doolittle).
Wyckoff, John Henry and Elizabeth Polhemus, Nov. 12, 1867 (Romaine).
Wyckoff, John S. and Sarah Stout, Feb. 18, 1826 (Ludlow).
Wyckoff, John S. and Jane M. Huff, Dec. 29, 1853 (Craven).
Wyckoff, Joseph V. D. and Ellen M. Stothoff, Dec. 10, 1840 (Van Doren).
Wyckoff, Joseph F. and Mattie E. Conover, Sept. 21, 1864 (Carter).
Wyckoff, Martin and Mary Voorhees, Mar. 26, 1797 (Studdiford).
Wyckoff, Martin and Margaret Jobes, Jan. 11, 1832 (Blauvelt).
Wyckoff, Nelson and Mary Jane Blue, Oct. 12, 1861 (Romeyn).
Wyckoff, Nicholas and Phebe Craig, June 1, 1851 (Dater).
Wyckoff, Peter and Sarah Nevius, Oct. 19, 1835 (Wilson).
Wyckoff, Peter and Phebe Van Duyn, Jan. 11, 1843 (Rodgers).
Wyckoff, Peter and Susan Honeyman, Oct. 21, 1858 (Brush).
Wyckoff, Peter B. and Ellis B. Polhemus, Jan. 19, 1832 (Wilson).

Wyckoff, Peter Ferdinand and Sarah Elizabeth Dumont, Mar. 17, 1864 (Mesick).
Wyckoff, Peter G. and Chrissie A. Staats, Dec. 7, 1865 (Searle).
Wyckoff, Peter S. and Rachel McCrea, Mar. 18, 1869 (Messler).
Wyckoff, Renne and Sarah Ann Willis, Dec. 30, 1847 (Cox).
Wyckoff, Rinear and Mariah Davis, Dec. 15, 1810 (Labagh).
Wyckoff, Runy and Margaret Wood, Nov. 17, 1849 (Harris).
Wyckoff, Samuel and Abigail Bainbridge, Oct. 14, 1819 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, Stephen D. and Mary Ann Duffield, Aug. 30, 1862 (Gardner).
Wyckoff, William and Elizabeth Bainbridge, Dec. 30, 1817 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, William and Jane Baten, Sept. 3, 1828 (Zabriskie).
Wyckoff, William and Elizabeth Ann Hoagland, Feb. 21, 1844 (Messler).
Wyckoff, William and Mary Hoagland, Sept. 4, 1861 (Messler).
Wyckoff, William W. and Margaret Ditmars, Aug. 6, 1857 (Gardner).
Wyckoff, Zehaniah S. and Mary Elizabeth Westcott, Jan. 17, 1856 (Romeyn).
Wynkoop, Francis S. and Sarah Elmondorph, Oct. 2, 1844 (Zabriskie).
Wysham, Ezekiel C. and Mary H. Bellis, Feb. 9, 1864 (Messler).

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Yard, Benjamin and Jane Smock, Jan. 16, 1804 (Studdiford).
Yarrington, Benjamin C. and Elizabeth Manners, Aug. 3, 1820 (Boggs).
Yates, Barker and Elizabeth Creix, Feb. 13, 1858 (Carrell).
Yates, John F. and Mary Polhemus, Nov. 12, 1829 (Labagh).
Yauger, John and Judith Castner, Aug. 10, 1826 (Fisher).
Yauger, Jewel and Jemima Compton, July 4, 1827 (Fisher).
Yost, Joseph V. B. and Lizzie A. Sutphen, Mar. 28, 1876 (Hart).
Young, Alpheus and Ellen Ann Phillips, Mar. 26, 1849 (Ludlow).
Young, Benjamin and Elen Maria Stryker, Feb. 24, 1844 (Zabriskie).
Young, Charles and Rachel Hoagland, Dec. 9, 1862 (Ludlow).
Young, Charles M. and Maria Van Nuys, Oct. 19, 1864 (Gardner).
Young, Cornelius and Sarah L. Harris, Sept. 17, 1868 (LeFevre).
Youngs, Daniel and Rachel Cosner, Sept. 12, 1811 (Vredenburgh).
Young, David and Mary Pierson, June 12, 1827 (Ludlow).
Young, Derrick S. and Elizabeth Dils, Feb. 27, 1833 (Ludlow).
Young, Eben S. and Eliza King, Dec. 5, 1842 (English).
Young, George and Joanna Christopher, Nov. 12, 1825 (Labagh).
Young, George and Mariah Van Arsdale, Aug. 6, 1853 (Ludlow).
Young, George M. and Sarah Jane Allen, Oct. 19, 1859 (Ludlow).
Young, George S. and Mary C. Huffman, Nov. 30, 1865 (Messler).
Young, Jacob and Elizabeth Newell, Nov. 9, 1864 (Voorhees).
Young, Jacob R. and Elizabeth V. A. Stevens, Oct. 15, 1846 (Ludlow).
Young, Jacob W. and Alice Van Duyn (Col'd), May 31, 1876 (Mesick).
Young, John and Sarah Herder, May 29, 1824 (Ludlow).
Young, John and Eliza Thacker, May 21, 1845 (Carroll).
Young, John H. and Mary Ramsey, Dec. 13, 1877 (Doolittle).
Young, John W. and M. Louie Young, Nov. 18, 1875 (Hart).
Young, Lemuel R. and Mary E. Fritts, June 18, 1862 (Messler).
Young, Peter and Henrietta Swain, Jan. 20, 1844 (Ludlow).

Young, Peter W. and Penelope Herder, Nov. 25, 1829 (Ludlow).
Young, Peter W. and Amelia A. Moore, Nov. 21, 1867 (Ludlow).
Young, Ralph and Amelia J. V. Tunison, Dec. 7, 1854 (Ludlow).
Young, Samuel E. and Caroline Amelia Mathews, Oct. 25, 1866 (Rankin).

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Zabriskie, Albert and Annie E. Staats, Feb. 1, 1870 (Pitcher).
Zahnizer, Rev. George and Elizabeth McGille, July 5, 1866 (Mesick).

HISTORICAL NOTES AND COMMENTS

BY THE EDITOR

The "Quarterly" Not to be Continued

The Publication Committee of the QUARTERLY has decided not to continue the publication of this magazine for the year 1920. The reasons are: The want of interest in the County itself, most of the subscribers being persons living outside; the inability to secure sufficient promises of future proper articles; the troublesome problem of financing the project further; and, lastly, the inroads on the time of the Editor, who has given freely thousands of hours to it during the past eight years, but cannot see the way clear to do the same in the immediate future.

It is true that the full designs of the Editor have not been quite carried to completion. For example, certain biographical sketches of little known but influential early citizens or natives; some family lines, as Ayres, Sutphen, Field, Van Deventer, etc., which the Editor and others have had in course of preparation; inscriptions from more of the early graveyards; continuation of the Hillsborough (Millstone) baptisms, etc. But, happily, the eight volumes published, covering 2,683 pages, have conserved a substantial and, we believe, permanently useful purpose.

In bringing the publication to a close, the Editor desires to thank all contributors to its pages; without their kind and free-will offices it must have proven a failure. The Committee on Publication also would acknowledge, what it has greatly appreciated, the patronage of those subscribers who have been faithful to the QUARTERLY throughout the whole period of its existence.

As intimated, the QUARTERLY has had its largest subscription list outside of Somerset County. Perhaps this is not to be wondered at, for the majority of the present generation of citizens are more concerned now about the Present than about the Past. Here and there, however, in nearly every State, are some former residents of Somerset, or such

whose forebears migrated from Somerset, who have a desire to learn of the "old times" here which they or their fathers, or grandfathers, enjoyed; some of them being especially anxious to learn more about their own ancestral lines. Hence it came to pass that the QUARTERLY had its chief constituency in various cities and towns in other parts of New Jersey and in nearly every Western State. Such will probably miss greatly these familiar pages.

Perhaps we should note, for the benefit of those persons who may come across a single number or two in some out-of-way place, and who may desire to see or possess the complete files, that the full eight volumes can be found and consulted at many public and historical libraries; for example, as to the free public libraries, at New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Albany, Syracuse, Buffalo, Concord (N. H.), Detroit, St. Louis, Joplin (Mo.), Sacramento, Los Angeles. Or, in this State at Somerville, Basking Ridge, Plainfield, Morristown, New Brunswick, Trenton (State House), Newark, Jersey City. Or at certain historical libraries, as at New York, Philadelphia, Doylestown, Wilkes-Barre, New Brunswick, Salem (Mass.), Brooklyn, Worcester, Boston, Columbus, St. Paul, Montgomery (Ala.), Topeka, Madison (Wis.), Cleveland, Des Moines, Portland (Me.). A very few full sets, and certain of the separate numbers may also be purchased by application to the Editor, at Plainfield, N. J.

Two Somerset Centenarians

It is well to record the fact that at least two persons in Somerset are now living at an age past the one hundred years. It has been our desire to ascertain, if possible, and publish the names and some data concerning others who, since our county came into existence, passed their one hundredth birthday within the county limits, but we have not had the time at command to search records and make the necessary inquiries. The two persons alluded to are Mr. John S. Smalley, Sr., of Bound Brook, who celebrated his 101st birthday on August 17th. He is the grandfather of the present Mayor of Bound Brook, Mr. Harvey S. Smalley, but was not native-born, his birthplace being in Ohio. However, he has resided in Somerset since he was four years of age, and is still in sufficient health to appear daily upon the streets of Bound Brook. The other person is Mrs. Abigail Ten Eyck, of South Branch, who, on Sept. 12th, was 101 years old. She was also born out of the county, being a native of Lebanon, Hunterdon county, but early in life resided at Neshanic, and afterward at South Branch. While blind she has remained in possession of all her faculties.

The Talmage Sermon

It is not usual for an historical publication to publish a sermon, but the nearly complete one given by the late Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage (see page 257) is so characteristic of the man and sheds so much light upon his father that we are glad to be able to present it. Dr. Talmage was, of course, Somerset born, and was never ashamed of the county that gave him birth. We have had it in mind to relate some unpublished anecdotes—reminiscences might be a better term—of his visits to Somerville when the Editor of the QUARTERLY was engaged in journalistic labors there, on the newspaper in which, in its younger days, the Doctor had been greatly interested, but these must now await the convenient season. Both he and his brother, Rev. Goyn, never forgot this their native place, which will also long honor their memories. They were so different, and yet each was as firmly devoted to the other, as they and the other clerical brothers were to their father, a record of whose life is now for the first time given the prominence it deserves. The Somerset Talmage family has well shown Nature's frequent observance of the law of heredity as to talents and piety.

Bucks County Historical Society a Model

The Bucks County Historical Society, at Doylestown, Pa., organized in 1880 and incorporated in 1885, has long been, to our mind, a model Society in at least these respects. In the first place, it has been from first to present a working society, ceaseless in its endeavors to bring things out of the Past, and present them in excellent shape for preservation, whether written articles or relics. In the next place it has placed its proceedings, including all addresses and papers—a wealth of both, hundreds in all—in printed volumes that are a beauty to the eye and must prove of increasing interest as the years go on. The four large volumes printed cover about 2,700 pages of matter. Almost best of all is the fact that the Society has a handsome fire-proof concrete building of its own, presented by Dr. Henry C. Mercer and dedicated in 1916, and with it an endowment promised of $125,000. The cost of the building itself is not stated, but being of six stories and a tower, it apparently, would cost, to-day, at least $75,000. A view of it, in print, would indicate it is one of the handsomest buildings in Doylestown. When some one does a quarter as much as this for the Somerset County Historical Society we shall feel very proud.

The General Pike Article

With much pleasure we present to our readers a statement concerning the life and Somerset birthplace of General Zebulon Montgomery

Pike, who discovered Pike's Peak and made so glorious a reputation in the War of 1812. The QUARTERLY alluded to the fact that it had been ascertained that he was born in Somerset, in the 1916 volume (p. 309). It is fitting that we should now publish an account of how Mr. Backes came to upset the modern historical statements as to the place of his birth, and it is given, at our request, by that author himself. Mr. Backes does not indicate, because he does not know, how General Pike came to be born at Lamington. Nor can we decide that question. In the lack of a better explanation we have this surmise to make: That Captain Pike, the father of the General (who was commissioned Captain Dec. 25, 1778, previously having been Paymaster, etc.), was undoubtedly with Washington's army at Middlebrook or in Bedminster township in the Winter of 1778-'9. The Moylan Light Dragoons, in which he served, appears to have been at the Middlebrook encampment. What more natural than that Mrs. Pike should have come temporarily to that neighborhood; possibly staying with a friend at or near Lamington, where she was safe from British raids, and not such a long distance from either the Middlebrook or Pluckemin encampment. This would account for her giving birth to a son there, instead of the actual home residence of the General, wherever that was. If his residence at that period was at Woodbridge, it is unlikely that his wife would have remained there under the circumstances, as that part of New Jersey was not safe from British scouting marauders. This is not our conclusion but a conjecture; it may be the real facts will never be known.

A Former Lamington "Black Saint"

It is a well-known fact that the older type of colored persons in the North who were slaves were usually pious, and sometimes such to a remarkable degree. We have known a number of this kind, although our recollection only goes back to just preceding the Civil War, and then such "slaves" had been out of slavery for perhaps a quarter of a century or more.

We recently saw a written communication from an historical writer, now deceased, concerning one of the peculiarly religious slaves who attended the Lamington Presbyterian Church prior to seventy-five years ago, when he died, and we remember hearing his name mentioned by those who had known him as having a history deserving of printed mention. In fact he was mentioned in a published article by the late Dr. A. W. McDowell in 1873 ("Our Home," p. 532), as will be quoted later. His name was Cuffy Barnet, the surname being derived, as was customary in slave times, from his master. Quoting now from the written communication referred to (it has never been published):

"Cuffy Barnet was reared in the family of Capt. James Ten Eyck, of North Branch, and was purchased by Dr. Oliver Barnet, of New Germantown" [now Oldwick], "a physician who practiced at the latter place from 1765 until his death in 1809. Cuffy's wife, Amber, was reared by William Henry, who lived 'at the head of the Lane' north of Lamington, and was sold when a child to Dr. Abraham Bertron, then a tavern-keeper at North Branch. After having married Cuffy and become the mother of several children, Amber was purchased of Bertron by Mr. Evert Bergen of the Lamington congregation. At the end of fourteen years Mr. Bergen sold her to the widow of Dr. Barnet, Mrs. Betsey Barnet, in order that Cuffy should not leave Mrs. Barnet. After Mrs. Barnet's death in 1825 both blacks were set at liberty. Amber probably died first; Cuffy died in August, 1844, and was then living in the historic stone parsonage of the Lamington church, which was then disused as a parsonage.

"Cuffy's homely name long stood and almost yet stands for honest piety through all the Lamington region. The late Dr. Blauvelt, who was his last pastor, characterized him as 'the most exemplary black man he ever knew.' He was even a sort of lay preacher among the numerous people of his color. In his day the blacks constituted a large population in Bedminster township, and to them Cuffy not only supplemented the sermons of his pastor on Sundays with suggestions and very practical remarks, but he generally attended all funerals of his own race in the Lamington neighborhood and, when no ordained minister was present, he offered appropriate prayer at the grave. He drove on Sunday the two old horses and heavy yellow-bodied coach of Mrs. Barnet to church, and always sat at the farthest end of a gallery pew that overlooked the pulpit.

"A novel feature of Cuffy was his prodigiously large feet. He was not unusually tall, though his shoulders were broad, his arms and legs heavy and muscular, and his fists brawny and rigid, like a mass of flinty stones; yet none of these physical developments could account for his phenominally big understandings. A former well-known lawyer of Flemington, Mr. Charles Bartles, who in his younger years remembered Cuffy well, once told the writer of his impression in meeting the slave when the latter was driving a yoke of oxen with a hickory goad fully ten feet long, and he said that it was not the deep, coarse voice, nor the heavy, rugged hands, nor the brawny back of this pious man which so attracted his attention, but a pair of monstrous feet that kept pace with the bovine pair. It reminded him of what may have been the appearance of the

athletic Hercules when he returned from his completed task of cleansing the stables of the thrice one thousand oxen of Augeas.

"Dr. Barnet's wife was a godly woman, but it is known that Cuffy audibly groaned over his master's frequent lapses from a correct life, and to have fervently prayed, both in public and private, for his early conversion."

This last statement is quite probable if the anecdote told by Dr. McDowell is a true one, viz.:

"He [Dr. Barnet] once said: 'Cuffy, I intend to be buried on my own land, and have reserved a place for you close beside me. When I rise, you may also rise with me. Wait upon me in the other world the same as in this.' 'I am much obliged,' said Cuffy, 'but rather guess not. The Devil might come along some dark night and take the darkey for the Doctor.' "

The Frontispiece Map of 1745

Reference was constantly made in the Judge Ralph Voorhees articles, as published in the QUARTERLY during the years 1915, '16 and '17, to the early map of Azariah Dunham, extending from New Brunswick to beyond Princeton; the map showing the boundary road between Somerset and Middlesex counties, and dated 1766. Frequent other references to this map have appeared in other publications. The Judge, of course, in preparing those articles in his lifetime was not aware, and we do not know that any of our local historians, except the late Mr. Andrew D. Mellick, Jr., were or are now aware that a John Dalley, surgeon, of Kingston in Somerset, made a map of the same road in 1745, beginning at Perth Amboy and extending to Trenton; and probably the author of "The Story of an Old Farm" never saw the map. (See that work, p. 229). The original has been found in the New York Historical Society Library, and the New Jersey Historical Society has an exact reproduction of this map. The portion between New Brunswick and Princeton we give on a reduced scale as a frontispiece to this issue. In many ways it is interesting, especially as showing early landowners, roads, etc. We find a notice of the fact that Mr. Dalley had completed this survey in the "Pennsylvania Gazette" of Sept. 12, 1745 (see "N. J. Archives," Vol. XII, p. 273), and desires the public to engage to have it printed. Further than this we have no present knowledge of this Mr. Dalley.

DEPARTMENT OF NOTES AND QUERIES

[199]. MCCREA-OHIO SETTLERS.—"In a letter dated Hamilton, Ohio, Apr. 15, 1893, from Mr. Thomas Milliken, an attorney of that city, ad-

dressed to the late Rev. Andrew J. Hageman, of Somerville, occurs the following paragraph:

"'As a matter of history I will state to you that a sister of Jane McCrea, of New Jersey, lived in this county (Butler) and some of her descendants are here yet. I refer to the Jane McCrea in Revolutionary history, who was murdered by the Indians near Fort Edward. The sister of Jane McCrea was married to a man named McDonald, who moved from New Jersey probably ninety years ago, and who resided in the immediate neighborhood of the Hagemans.'

"The last reference is to descendants of Michael Hageman, whom Mr. Millikin in another letter stated came from New Jersey about 1801, and died in Butler county about 1813. Continuing, he makes the following comment:

"'This country between the Great Miami and the Little Miami was all purchased by John Cleaves Symmes and his associates from the Congress of the United States, and the result was that a very large number of people from New Jersey came out here at an early date and located lands under Symmes. There is a large and highly respectable connection of the Hagemans living here, consisting of the Brants, Hughes, Woods, Schencks and Freemans. The old stock are dead, but there are many of their descendants living all through this county. In fact, my son married a Schenck and belongs to the stock.'"

J. J. D. (Metuchen, N. J.).

[The McDonald reference, of course, is to Catherine (McCrea) McDonald, who married William McDonald. See QUARTERLY, Vol. VII, p. 97.—EDITOR].

[200]. VAN DYKE-VAN VLIET.—An inaccuracy was made in our note last month (p. 235) concerning the Van Dyke-Van Vliet ancestors. The intimation there was that Hendrick Dirckse Van der Vliet did not exist. As a matter of fact he did, but is not to be confused with Hendrick Van Dyke, of Yellow Hook, who was the father of the Hendrick Van Dyke settling at Neshanic. We misinterpreted the information given us for the note in question.

As to the Neshanic family it is said to run from the first emigrant in this manner to the Rev. James W. Van Dyke, now of Ocean Grove.

1. Jan Thomassen, the emigrant of 1652, who m. (second wife) Tryntje Achias.

2. Thomas Jans, who m. Sytie Dircks.

3. Hendrick, of Yellow Hook, who m. Engeltie (or Jonica) ———, and d. 1751.

4. Hendrick, of Neshanic, b. about 1698; m. Margaret Van Derveer (dau. of Dominicus).
5. John, of near Somerville.
6. Cornelius, who m. Maria Brokaw.
7. Benjamin, who m. Elsie Smith.
8. James Whalen (the clergyman).

This line of Van Dykes Rev. James W. Van Dyke has approximately complete as to the Neshanic branch.

[201]. BLACKFORD-DAVIS.—"I am a grandson of Samuel Blackford and, according to tradition, he was a brother to Isaac Newton Blackford, sometime Judge of the U. S. Court of Appeals. I should like to know something of Samuel, if possible, and especially of his marriage to Jane Davis." J. G. B. (Seattle, Wash.).

[All we know of the immediate family of Judge Blackford appeared in Vol. V of the QUARTERLY, pp. 1-14. He had no brother Samuel, and we are not able to place him.—EDITOR].

[202]. CALDWELL.—"Was there a family in Somerset by the name of Caldwell during the Revolution and what became of them?"

A. D. V. (Newark, N. J.).

[There was a Caldwell family near Basking Ridge in those days, but we have no particulars; one a Hugh Caldwell. It would seem, however, that there was one such family near Lamington, as one of the most famous men of North Carolina, a Dr. Joseph Caldwell, is stated in a history of that State to have been born at Lamington, N. J., Apr. 21, 1773, and to have died in North Carolina, Jan. 27, 1835. He was a physician, of Scotch-Irish descent, and became President of the University of North Carolina in 1816. We have had it in mind to prepare a brief sketch of his interesting life for our readers, but had not yet reached it.—EDITOR].

[203]. COZAD-WINANS.—"I will appreciate information concerning Job Cozad and his wife, Hannah Winans, who lived at Bernard's Town in Revolutionary days." Mrs. F. L. B. (Hanford, Wash.).

[204]. THE "RED STONE COUNTRY."—"In the April QUARTERLY, p. 150, you suggest an error concerning 'The Red Stone Country' in Pennsylvania, when you say you 'judge this was York county, where red sandstone was plentiful and to which place many Somerset families' went. It was, instead, the southwest corner of that State, or the part lying west of the Monongahela river and south of Fort Pitt (now Pittsburgh), known to-day as Washington and Green counties. Probably the largest

colony that ever left New Jersey set out for this Red Stone Country in at least two companies. The first company came, I think, in 1780, and the next company in 1796. There may have been another company, but I only know of these two. My people came with the 1796 company. Among the names that I now recall who came out from New Jersey to the Red Stone Country were those of Thompson, Connett, McIlrath, Day, Minton, Brownlee, Cooper, Dodd, Lindley, Ray, Owen, Axtell, Dille, Post, Clark, Dunn, Parsell, Rush, Stockton, Cozad, Conger, Parkinson, Condit (or Condict) and a host of others whose names I forget, as I have been away from there for 35 years now. This Red Stone Country later became known as the Scotch-Irish section of Pennsylvania and is known as such to the present day. Of course a few Dutch families, like the Van Kirk and Hoagland families, came along, but you will readily recognize many of the old Bound Brook Scotch families in the list. It is the Gibraltar of Presbyterianism, the seat of Washington and Jefferson College, which was founded by these Jersey Pioneers, and, I may add, morally, religiously, educationally, financially, or from any other point of view, this old Jersey Colony of Scotch Presbyterians outranks any settlement of which I have any knowledge." O. L. C. (Marion, O.).

[205]. PEAPACK AGAIN.—In the 1916 QUARTERLY (p. 312), we stated that the earliest reference we had discovered to the name Peapack was in the language used in a deed of 1708, which spoke of "another Indian towne called Peapock." We now find the same place (no doubt) alluded to in an Indian deed of Oct. 29, 1701, to Johnson & Willocks, where it refers to a tract on the east side of the North Branch of the Raritan River, extending northwest "to the mountains above *Pechpeck*." Possibly that represents the real name of the "old Indian towne" as well as any of the old spellings. (See "N. J. Archives," Vol. XXI, p. 141).

[206]. CHAPMAN.—Inquiry has come to us concerning a Chapman family living at Peapack about 1770. A dau., Elizabeth, b. 1772; d. 1859; m. (1) ——— Able, and (2) George Moore. We have been unable to find traces of Elizabeth's parents.

[207]. THOMAS CODRINGTON.—By an inadvertence the name of the first land settler in Somerset (at Bound Brook), Thomas Codrington, was misprinted *Codington* in the July number of this QUARTERLY (pp. 233, 237). It was discovered when too late to correct. He was not the ancestor of the present Codington or Coddington families of the County (see QUARTERLY, Vol. II, p. 125). The Codrington lands, of which the La Monte property referred to in the last QUARTERLY (p. 232) formed a part,

seem to have had this genesis of title ownership: First, on May 4, 1681, the Indian deed, to eight persons, including Codrington, as named in the article referred to (on p. 233), for particulars of which see Messler's "Somerset Centennial Hist." (p. 11). This included probably 4,400 acres. Second, on April 15, 1682, survey of the same (East Jersey Deeds, Lib. 4, p. 8). Third, on Feb. 28, 1684, the Lords Proprietors deeded to Codrington 877 acres. (East Jersey Deeds, Lib. A, p. 97). Fourth, Aug. 13, 1685, John Royse (also, like Codrington, a merchant of New York City) deeded to Codrington 836 acres adjoining the previous tract, (Ibid, p. 257). This land Codrington sold to Michael Dircksen Van Veghten Aug. 2, 1694. (Ibid, Lib. F, p. 81).

[208]. The "Old York Road" Again.—"Here are some more or less interesting facts about the "Old York Road" on the Pennsylvania side of the Delaware:

"The Old York Road, running from Philadelphia to New Brunswick, N. J., dates from 1711, and in its youth was very bad, especially in rainy weather. The mud was black and deep, and there were tremendous quicksands in many places. Farmers on their way to market would go in companies so as to help one another over the difficult places. It was not unusual to use four, and even six horses for an ordinary load. An instance is given where a team was stalled and in trying to draw out one of the horses with an iron chain to his head, it slipped, and the horse was so injured he had to be killed. Sometimes boys were stationed at dangerous places to warn teamsters, and fence rails were placed on end in the road as silent messengers of threatened disaster. In 1803 people could stand it no longer, and a turnpike was authorized, construction beginning at once on a section reaching to Red Lion Inn, at Willow Grove.

"A local historian gives a pleasing picture of the improvement of the road, referring to the removal of rocks, trees and stumps, the building of bridges and covering the surface with stones.

"At Willow Grove the Old York Road branches. The one branch bore slightly west of north, runs through old Neshaminy to Doylestown, where it turns east, runs to Buckingham and so to the Delaware River at New Hope, at that time Coryell's Ferry; the other branch bore a little east of north, through Hattor's, and joins the Doylestown branch at old Buckingham. Emmanuel Coryell's Ferry was established in 1732; Washington had frequent occasion to use it.

"The name Lambertville was given to the settlement on the New Jersey side of the river in 1812 at the request of Hon. John Lambert, made to the Post Office Department. Abraham Coryell, owner of the Ferry, a son of Emmanuel, was indignant. He persisted in referring to

the place as 'Lambert's villainy.' John Coryell, brother of Abram, was proprietor of the ferry on the Pennsylvania side at this time, but it is not recorded that he made objection to the substitution of the name of New Hope for Coryell's Ferry.

"These facts are mainly taken from John T. Fares' book "Old Roads Out of Philadelphia," Lippincott. E. V. (Flemington, N. J.).

[209]. BOYLAN—ORTON.—There should be a correction in the article on "The Somerset Boylan Family" (QUARTERLY, Vol. VI, p. 110), under No. 31, where it reads that James B., Jr., of Hoboken, had children: Benjamin D., etc. This part of the paragraph should read:

Ch. (by K. S. W.) 1. James B., Jr., of Newark, who m. Emma Van Velsor; no ch. 2. Elizabeth Katherine, who m. James Douglas Orton, Jr., of Newark, whose ch. are: Benjamin Douglas, Dr. Henry Boylan and Raymond.

[210]. DUMONT-GEN. WASHINGTON.—"I am very anxious for a copy of the letter written by the then General Washington to Capt. Peter H. Dumont, which is to be found in the historical records of your county." E. W. (Boyne City, Mich.).

[We know of no such letter.—EDITOR].

[211]. HENRY.—In notes on the Henry Family in the April, 1918, QUARTERLY (Vol. VII, p. 118, footnotes), we stated that the great-grandfather of Mr. P. C. Henry, of Basking Ridge, was not certainly known. This is yet true, thuogh we believe a careful search would make the same known. However this may be a descendant sends us a few facts about that line, which it may be useful to put in print.

The missing Henry is said to have owned 300 acres of land near Lamnigton; sold the land for Continental money; lost his wife when his son, Daniel, was born, became discouraged, joined the American army and was never heard from afterward. This son, Daniel, was b. Apr. 22, 1774. and d. Apr. 15, 1850; his wife was Mary Van Nest (dau. of Cornelius), who was b. Feb. 15, 1772. They left nine children, viz.:

Daniel, b. 1804.

Jane, b. 1806.

Catherine, b. 1808; had dau., Mary J.

Sarah, b. 1809; had son Abram.

William, b. 1814; had sons James and Cornelius.

Nancy, b. 1816; had sons Cornelius, James and John.

Rachel, b. 1819; had ch., John, Samuel J., Mary, Sarah, Norman, Cebrina.

John, b. 1821; d. 1902; m. Jane Hand, who was b. 1821 and d. 1900. He was the father of Parmenus C.; also of Catherine, Almira and Elizabeth.

James, b. 1824; had a son John.

Imperfect as the foregoing is, we hold that all facts about Somerset families are, or may prove to be, useful, and hence publish what has come to us.

[212]. The Bound Brook Boulder.—"Some one has said that the large stone set up in the road at the lower end of Bound Brook, containing a bronze tablet commemorating the site of the skirmish (called on the tablet a "Battle") of April 13, 1777, beteween Gen. Lincoln and some British troops, is a boulder, and distinctly of the glacial period. Is this true? If so, when was that period?" B. V. D.

[We believe this block of stone was dug from its bed about 1832, when the Delaware and Raritan Canal was constructed, and is a boulder; if so, it probably belongs to the latest of the glacial periods, which enveloped with ice so much of the whole country and distinctively left its marks in a moraine extending, in New Jersey, from Perth Amboy across the State in a diagonal line to Belvidere. It is supposed that the thickness of ice covering this part of North America may have been at least 3,000 feet. As in the case of all glaciers there is a forward movement of several inches, at the most a few feet, in a day, and the ice pushes along everything before it—rocks, trees, etc.; levelling hills to some extent and filling up valleys with gravel, etc. So it is that boulders may be found everywhere in its track in this and other States, and they are usually so rounded as to be easily distinguishable. Stones were not made round by the Almighty; whenever they are found smoothly rounded it is by the action of ice rolling them during the glacial era, or eras. How long ago was the last glacial period in America? No one knows. Some think only 10,000 years ago. Others figure that, whatever time ago that was, there was a previous interval, succeeding the earlier ice age, of between 84,000 and 140,000 years. (So Professor Nathaniel Schmidt, of Cornell University). Which is to say that it is still largely a matter of speculation as to the time or duration of any glacial epoch in this country.—Editor.

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